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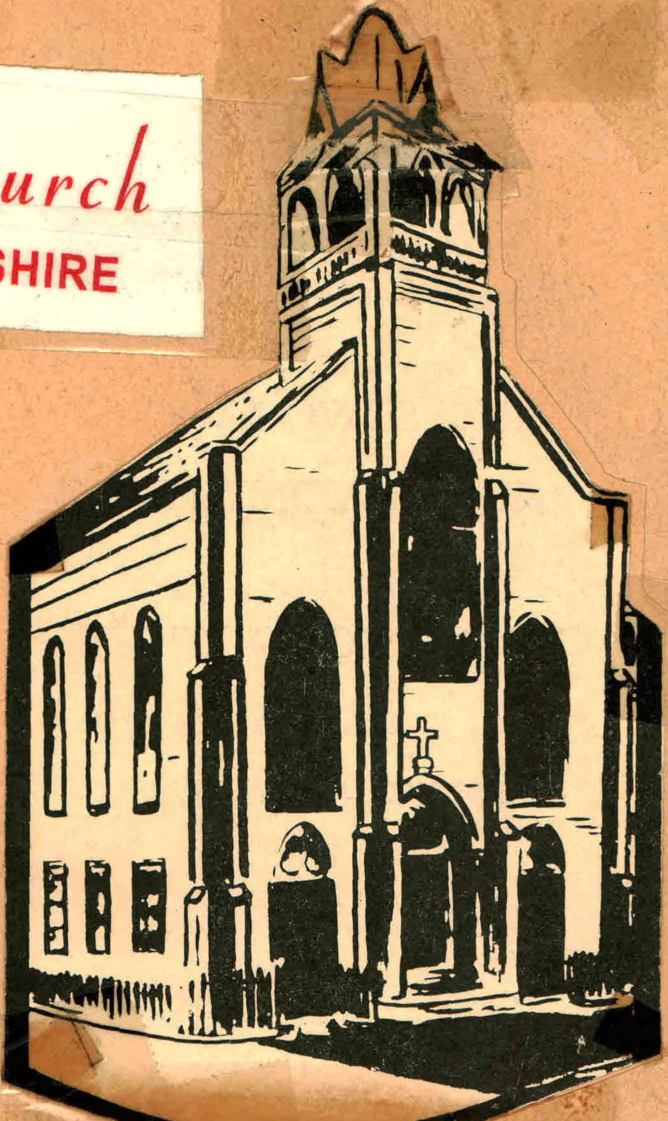

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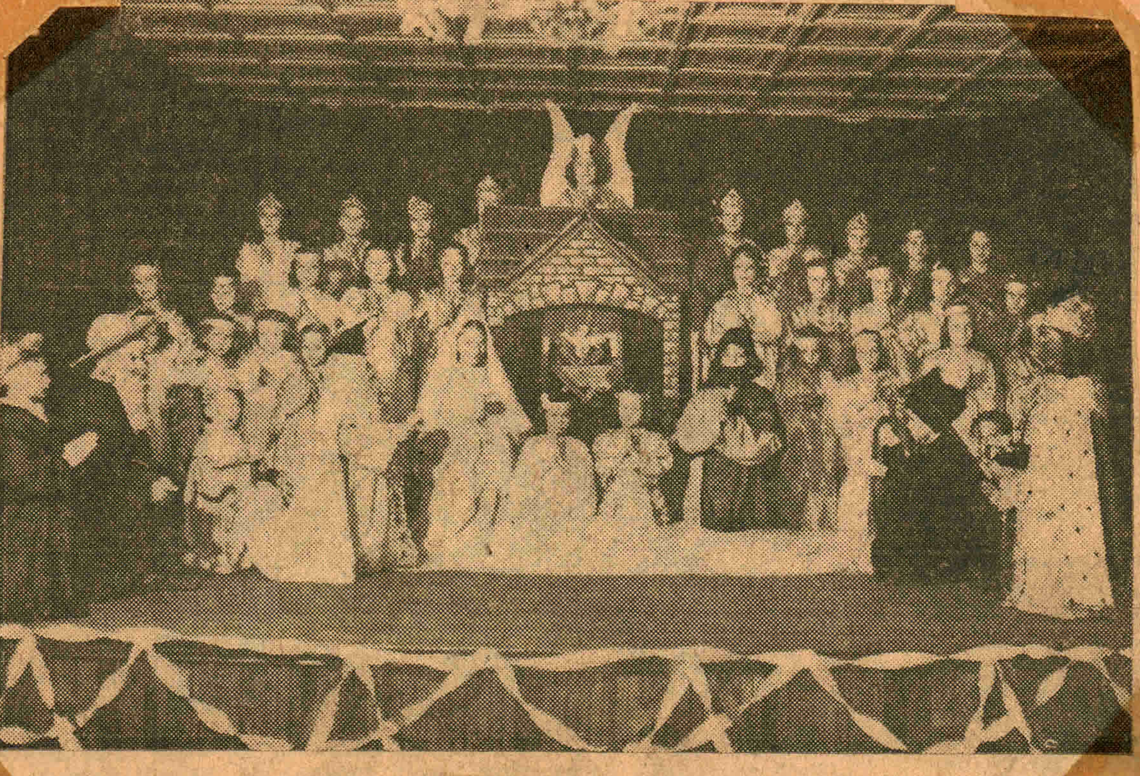

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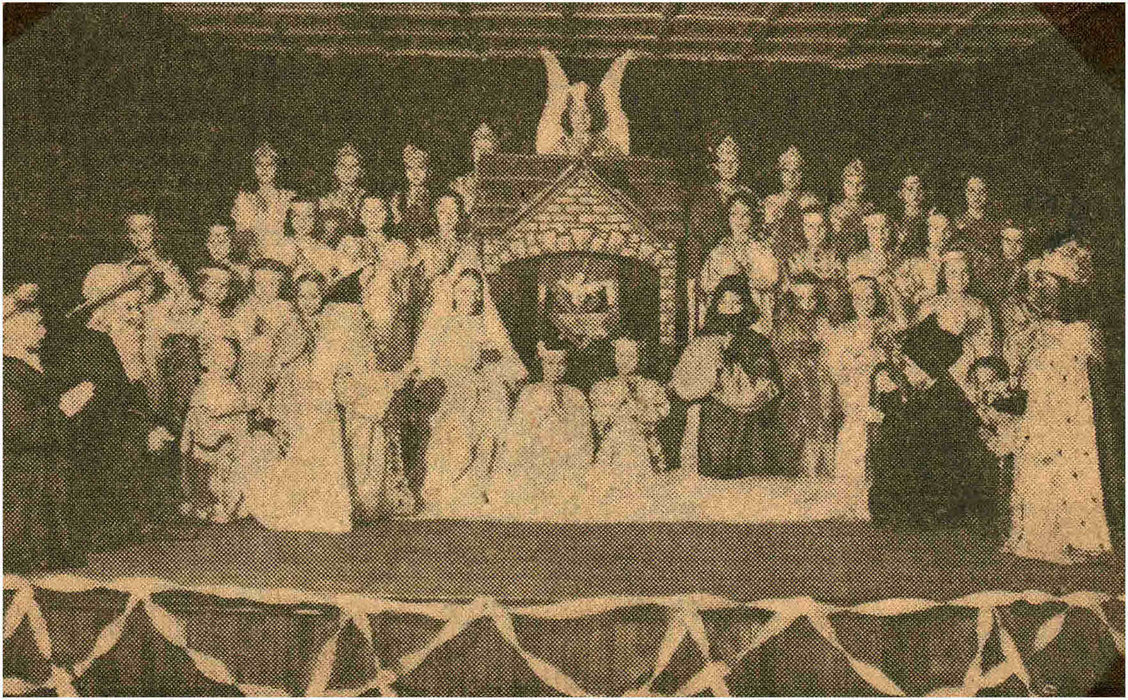

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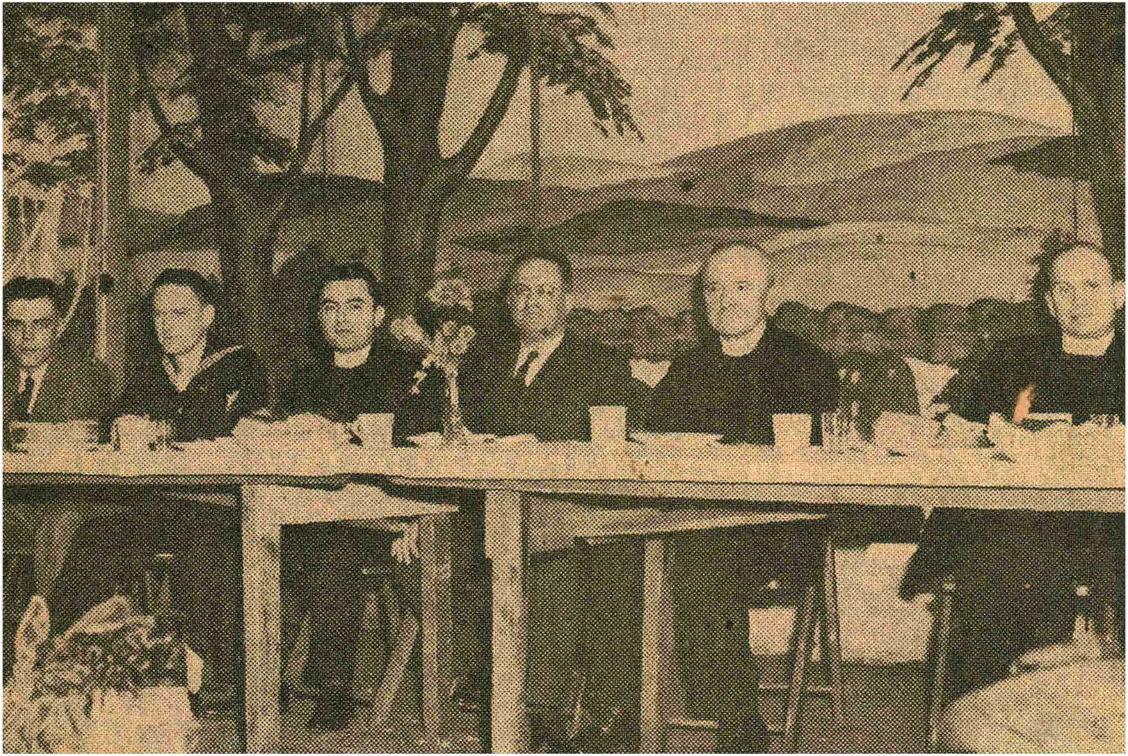

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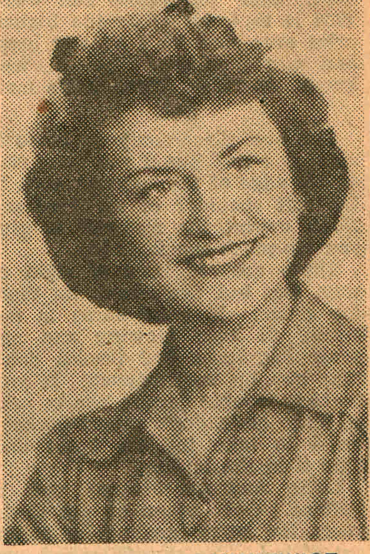

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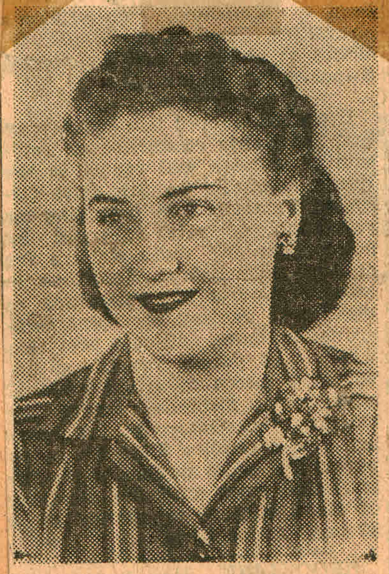

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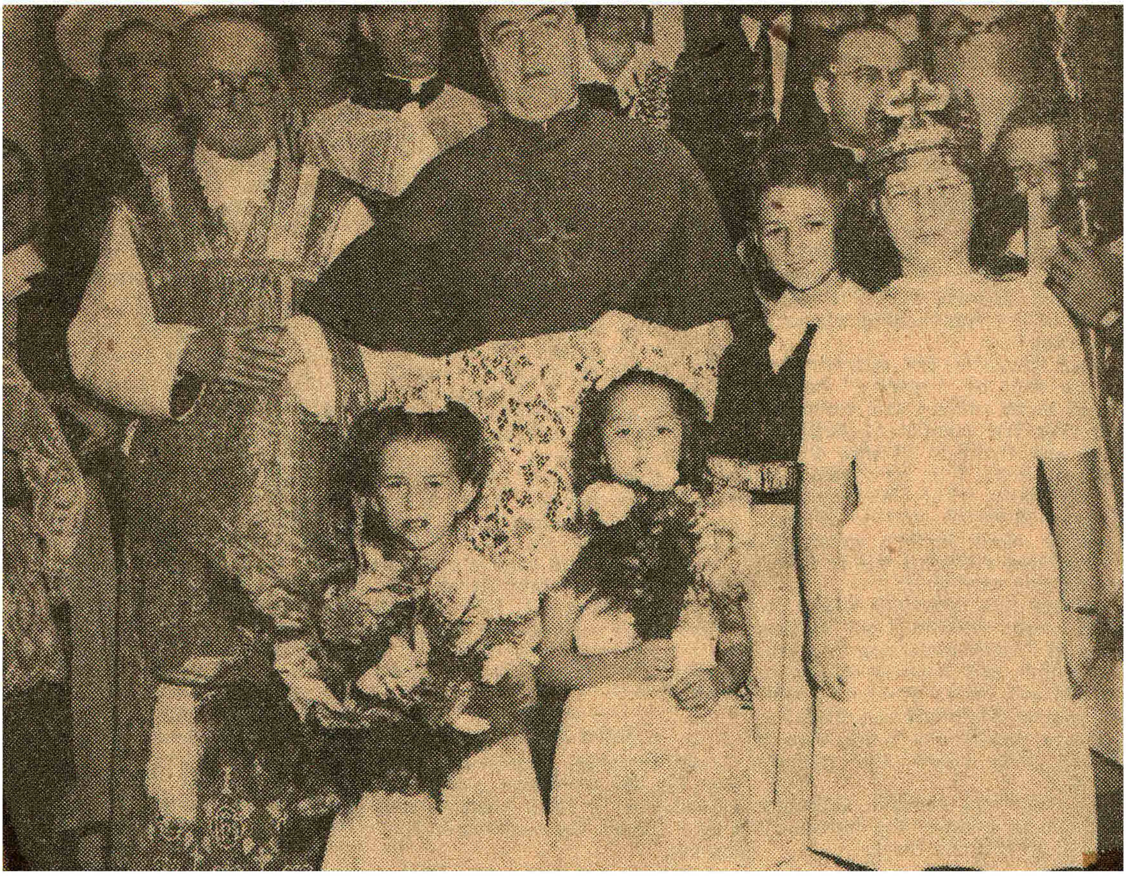

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Throughout the entire program, which opened with "There'll Be a Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight," the audience was in a receptive mood.

Soloists Score

Drawing plaudits were the soloists, Tillie Bykowska who sang "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," Genevieve Olesniewicz who offered the popular "Alice Blue Gown" and the Olesniewicz Sisters, who furnished songs of yesteryear, including "Put On Your Old Gray Bonnet" and "Let the Rest of the World Go By."

Also sharing honors were the talented dancers, Eileen Mack and Evelyn Howard, the former entertaining with a waltz clog and the latter a "can-can" dance, assisted by a supporting cast of dancers, including Jane Sullivan, Irene Proulx, Joan Manelas and Irene Bouilard and Matty Mrozek and Wanda Hus, who gave their imitation of an eccentric dance.

In a reminiscing mood, the barbershop quartet, composed of Louis Coviello, John Walas, John Waszeciak and Stanley Gorski, gave a splendid account of themselves in harmonizing the favorite tunes, "Darling Clementine" and "Down By the Old Mill Stream."

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Interesting and amusing was the elaborate fashion parade of the masculine sex, exquisitely dressed in flowing satin blue gowns with ostrich-trimmed picture hats, calling themselves the "Floradora Belles."

"In the Good Old Summer Time," "While Strolling Through the Park One Day" and "The Band Played On" were the once popular numbers sung by the Floradora Girls and the Gay Blades and "Shine on Harvest Moon," "Missouri Waltz" and "Glow-Worm" by the chorus.

As a grand finale, the chorus, appropriately costumed, sang "School Days," "Od Krzaczka do Kraczka" and "East Side, West Side," bringing the evening's entertainment to a close.

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ST. HEDWIGE REVIEW TUESDAY

'Gay 90ties' Chorus, Floradora Girls Features

GENEVIEVE OLESNIEWICZ
Soloist

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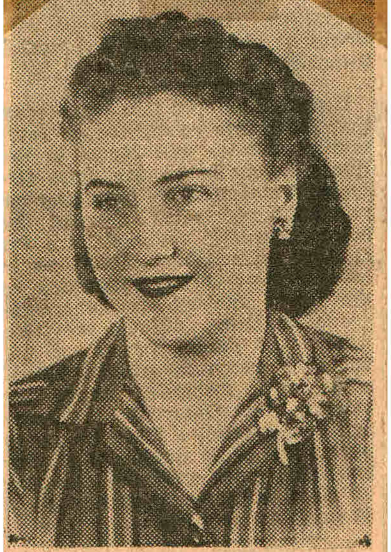

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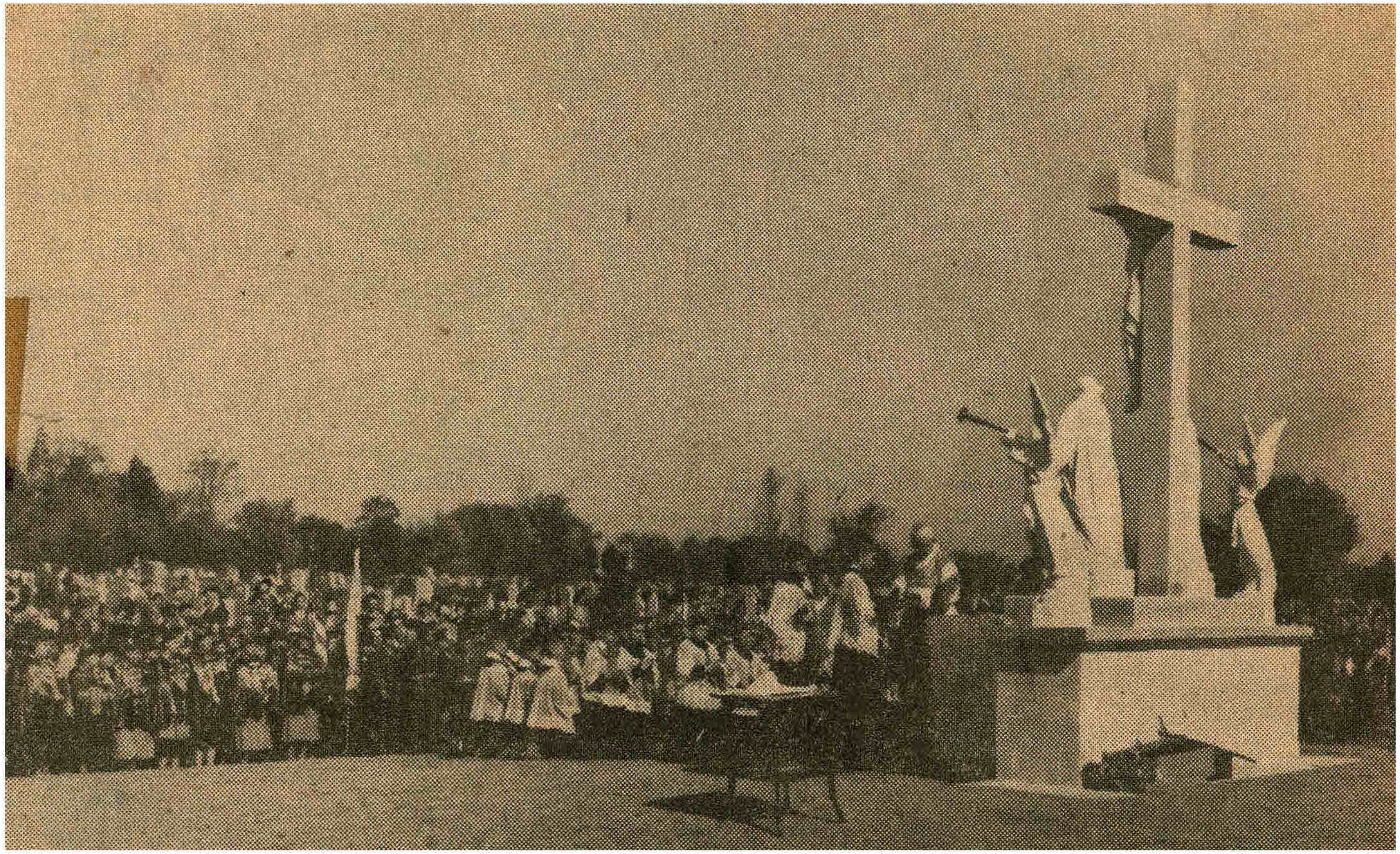

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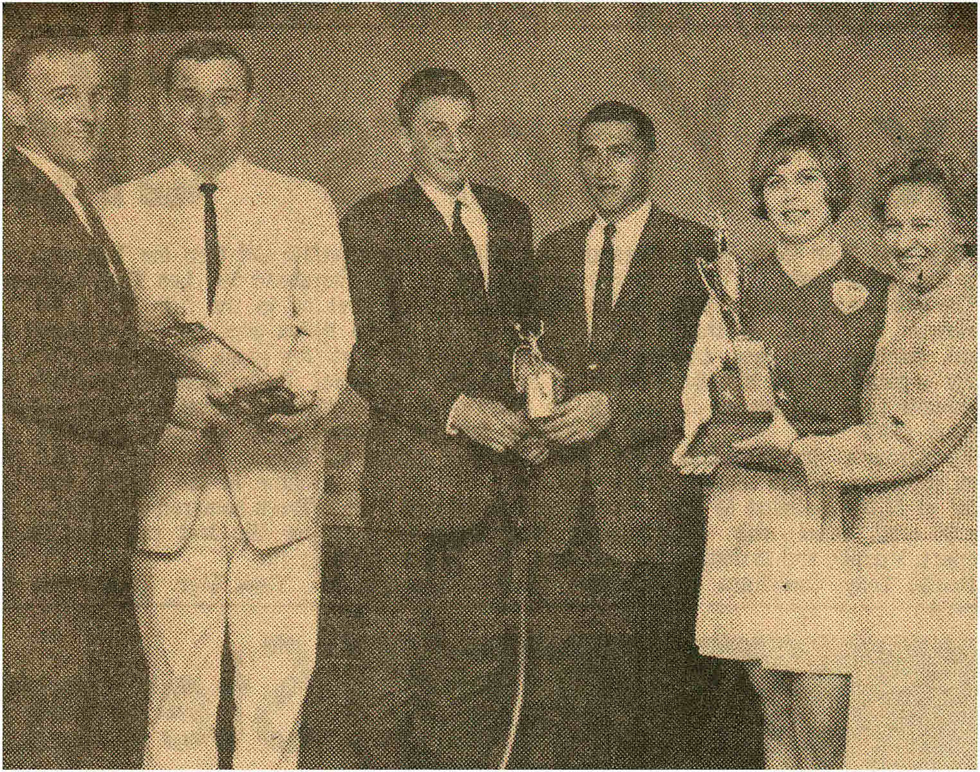

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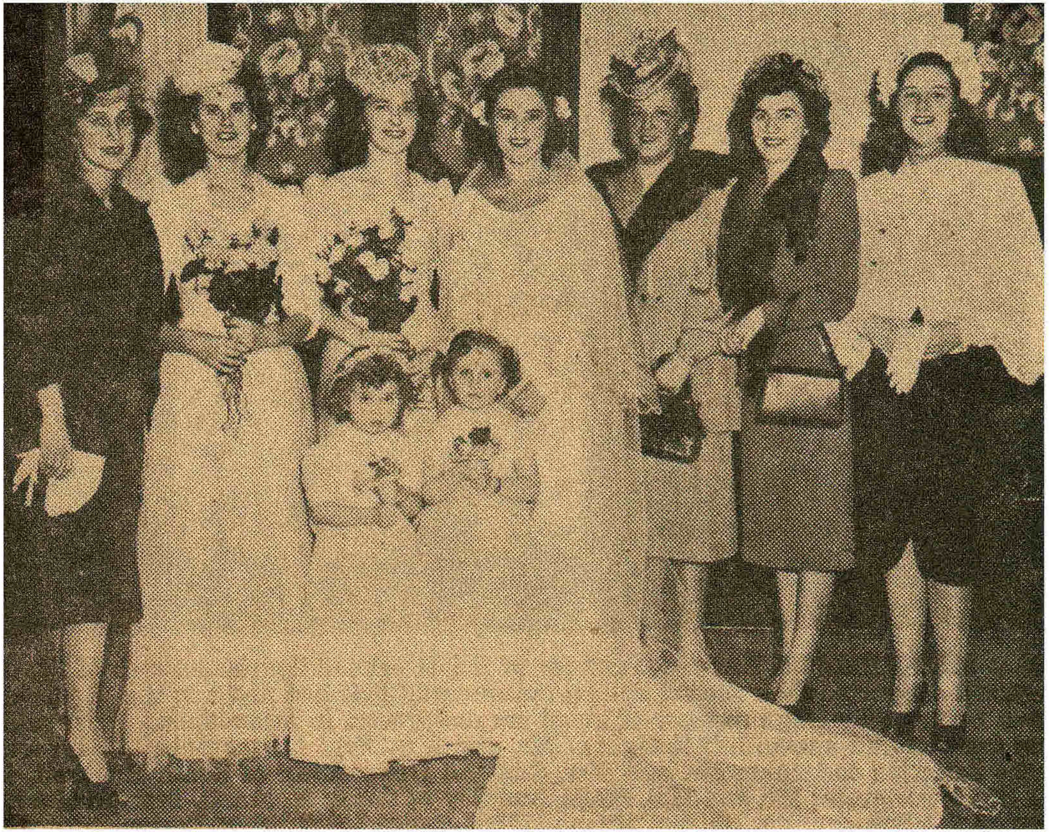

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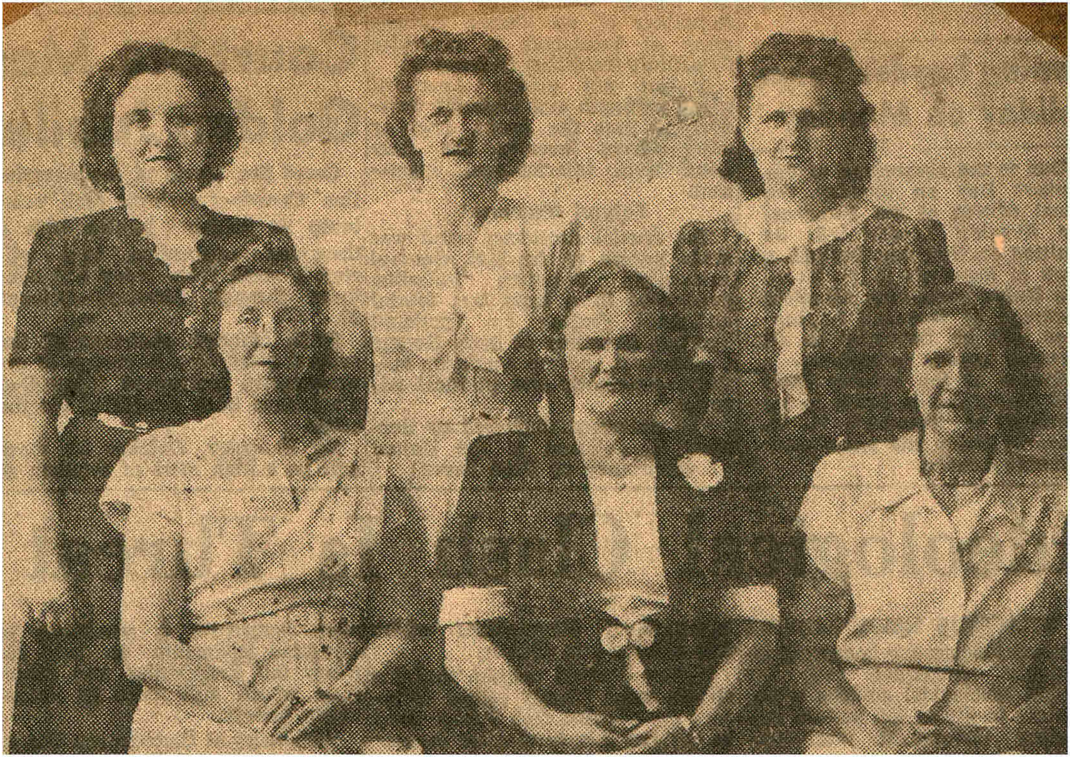

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Presented Certificates

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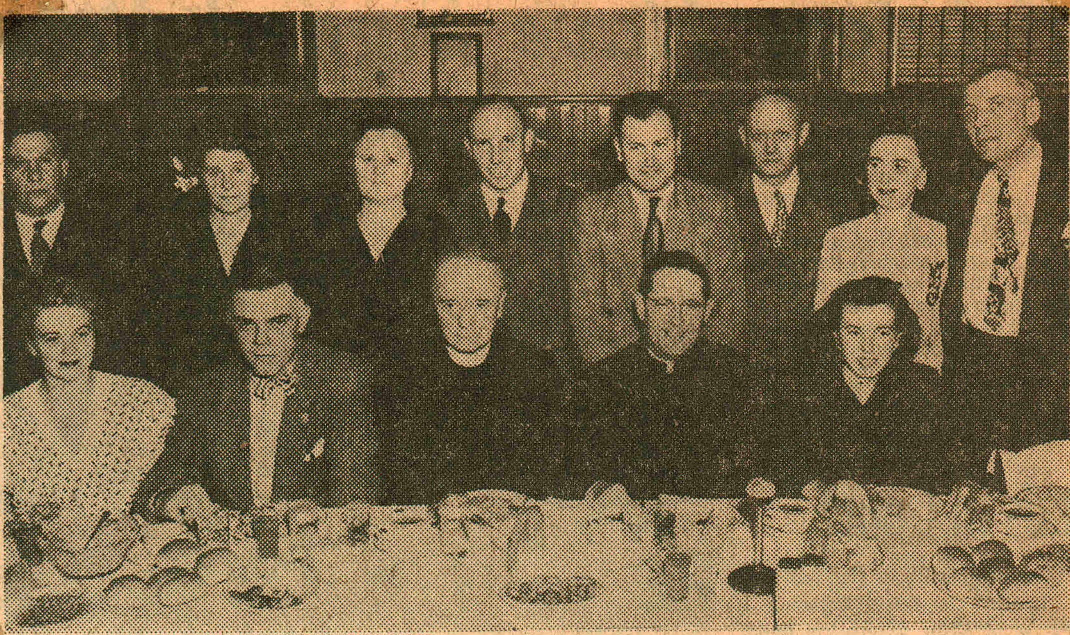

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Members of the Polish Women's club acted as waitresses.

Polish Circle to Honor Veterans

Mrs. Mary Stefanik was reelected president of the Polish Women's circle at a meeting held Sunday afternoon at the club rooms on Merrimack street. Assisting officers will be: Mary Swierz, vice president; Helen Waszeciak, recording secretary; Stella Fuhrel, financial secretary; Mary Fudala, treasurer; Louise Beben, Mary Albrewczynska, Mary Wojdyla, sick committee; Josephine Mlocek and Josephine Radwan, club candidates; Catherine Dydo and Stella Peltak, auditors and Gladys Turcynowicz, drill team supervisor.

Following the business session plans were made for a reception and banquet in the near future to honor discharged veterans and those at home on leave.

107 Veterans Honored at Banquet Held at TTK Hall

As a tribute to their relatives who served in the Armed forces in World War II, members of the BPR society, the Pulaski club and Polish Women's circle sponsored a welcome-home banquet and dance recently at TTK hall:

Since the beginning of the war, funds have been assembled for the occasion and during the festivities each veteran received an envelope containing a $5 bill. A beautiful silk American Flag was also purchased and will be placed in St. Hedwige's church to honor the veterans.

A delightful program opened with the introduction of the presidents of the various societies as follows: Roman Kustlinger, president of the TTK; Bronislawa Habaj, president of the TTK auxiliary; John Furman, PAC president; Henry Lesniak, Casimir club vice president; Anna Bozek, Casimir club auxiliary president, and Walter Bobusia, Polish Relief committee president.

Presented Certificates

Gold Star Mothers and wives of heroes who gave their lives during the war were presented special certificates, among the mothers being Maria Rozmus, Catherine Radwan, Louise Ciechon and Leona Lipa and among the wives, Josephine Radwan, Stella Fuhrel and Josephine Lamarche.

Mary Stefanik, president of the Polish Women's circle gave an interesting talk and in appreciation of her efforts in promoting the affair was presented a basket of roses by Mary Krzystyniak, who also entertained with a song. Rev. Henry Ustaszewski closed the program with an appropriate speech during the course of which he expressed his appreciation to all the societies and asked their further cooperation in all joint affairs.

Pres. Charles Filip opened the banquet program for which Rev. Father Ustaszewski served as toastmaster. Following the singing of the American and Polish national anthems, taps were sounded. Talks were given by Maj. Felix Kalinski, Mayor Josaphat Benoit, Atty. Joseph J. Betley, Peter Poirier of the governor's council representing Governor Dale, Lt. Col. John Betley, Lt. Col. Boleslaw Pokigo, Lt. Col. Francis Roche, Capt. John Wlodkowski, Lt. Walter Zagarski and WO Joseph Gladysz. Pauline Kubit entertained with recitations and Anna Kula with songs.

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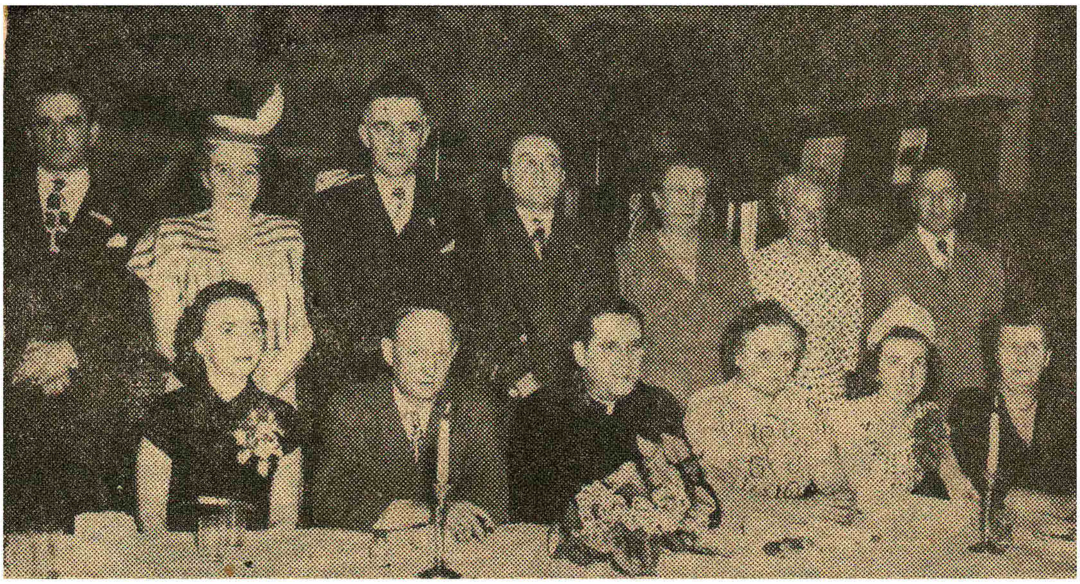

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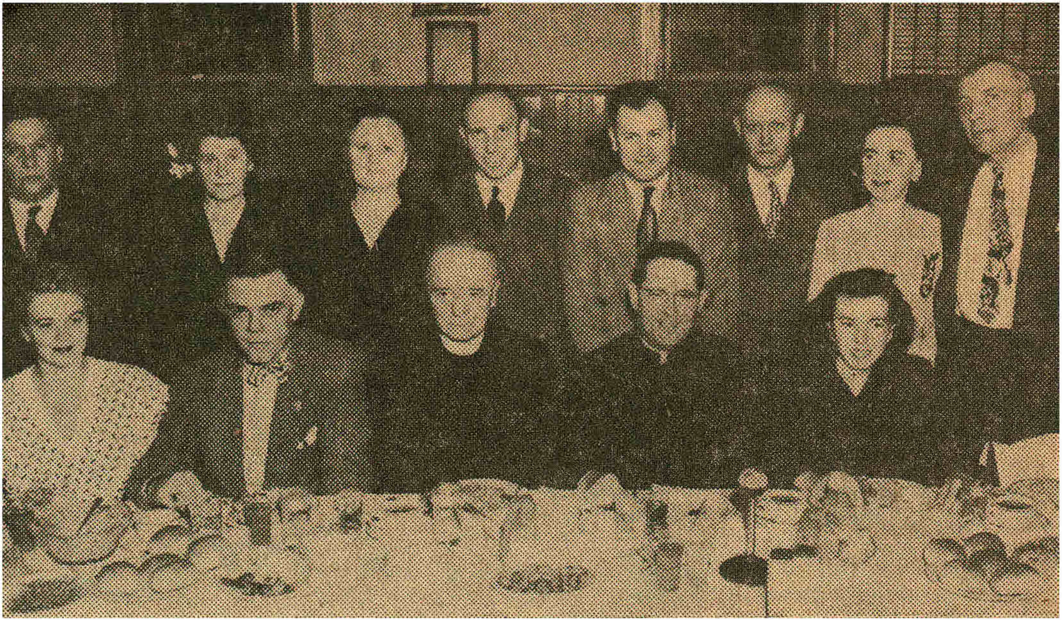

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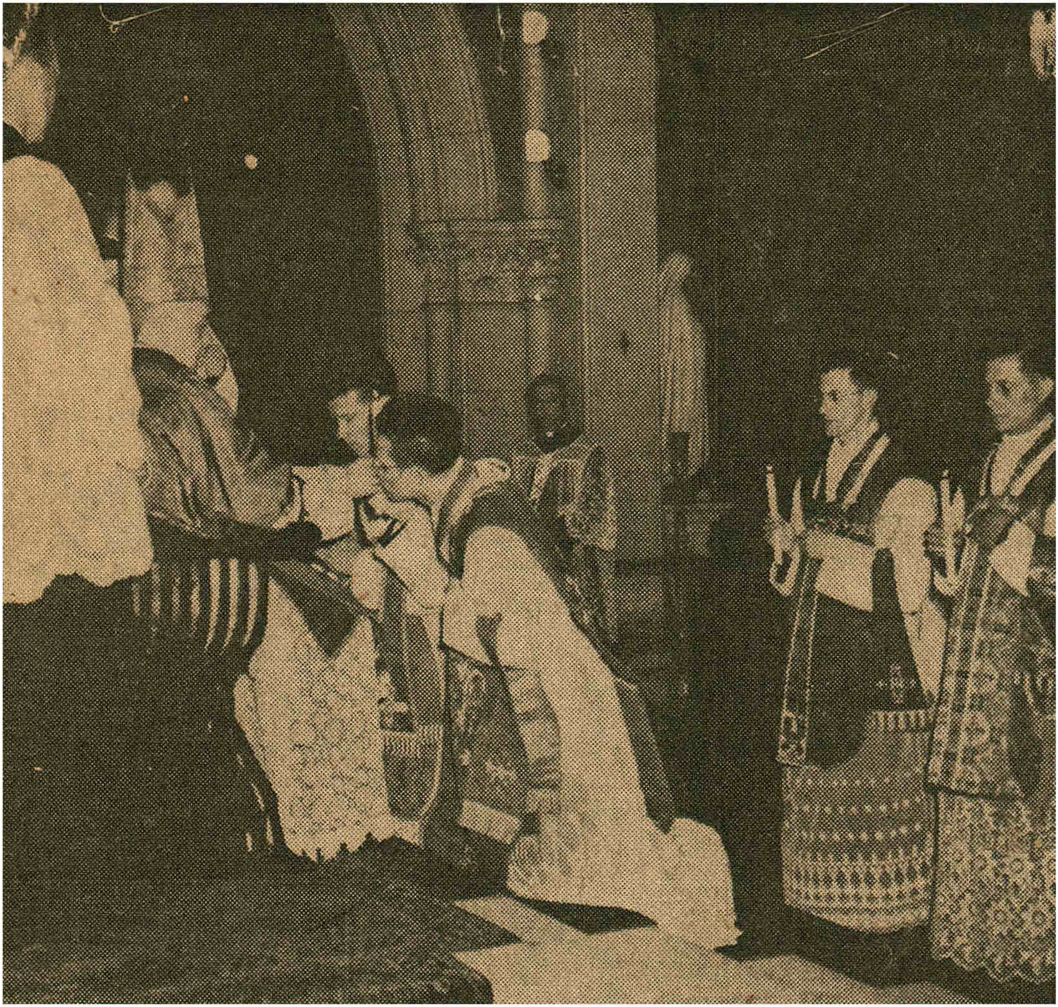

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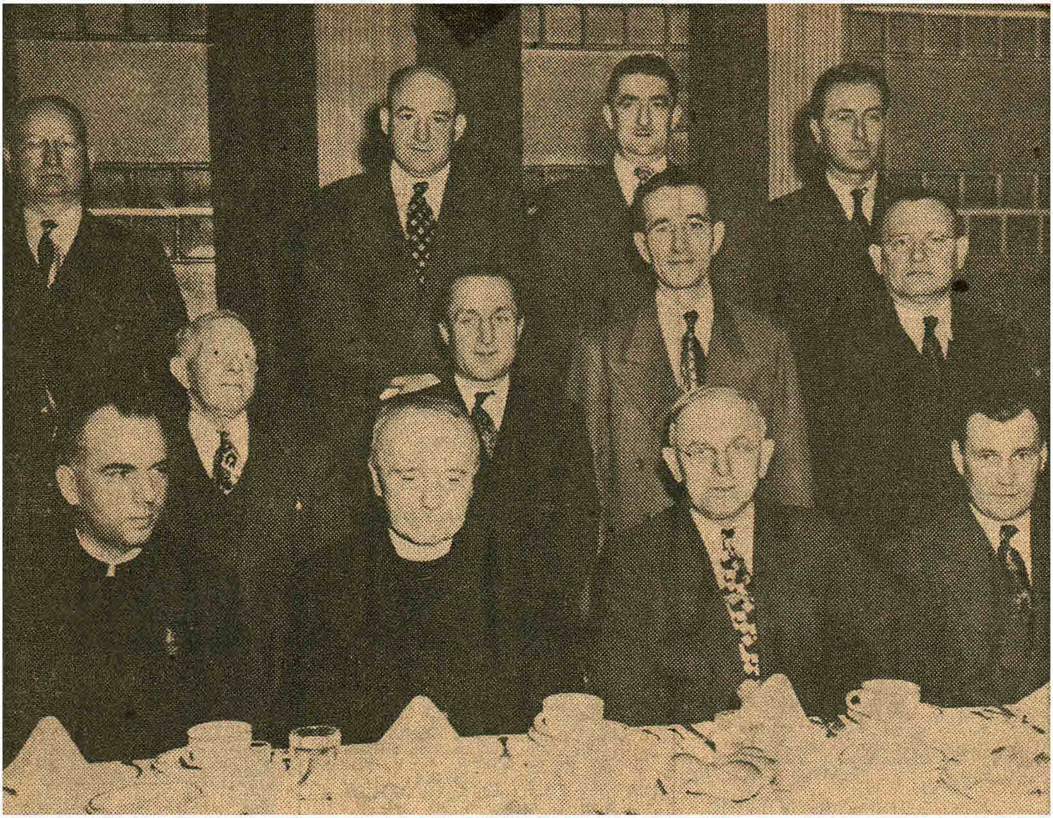

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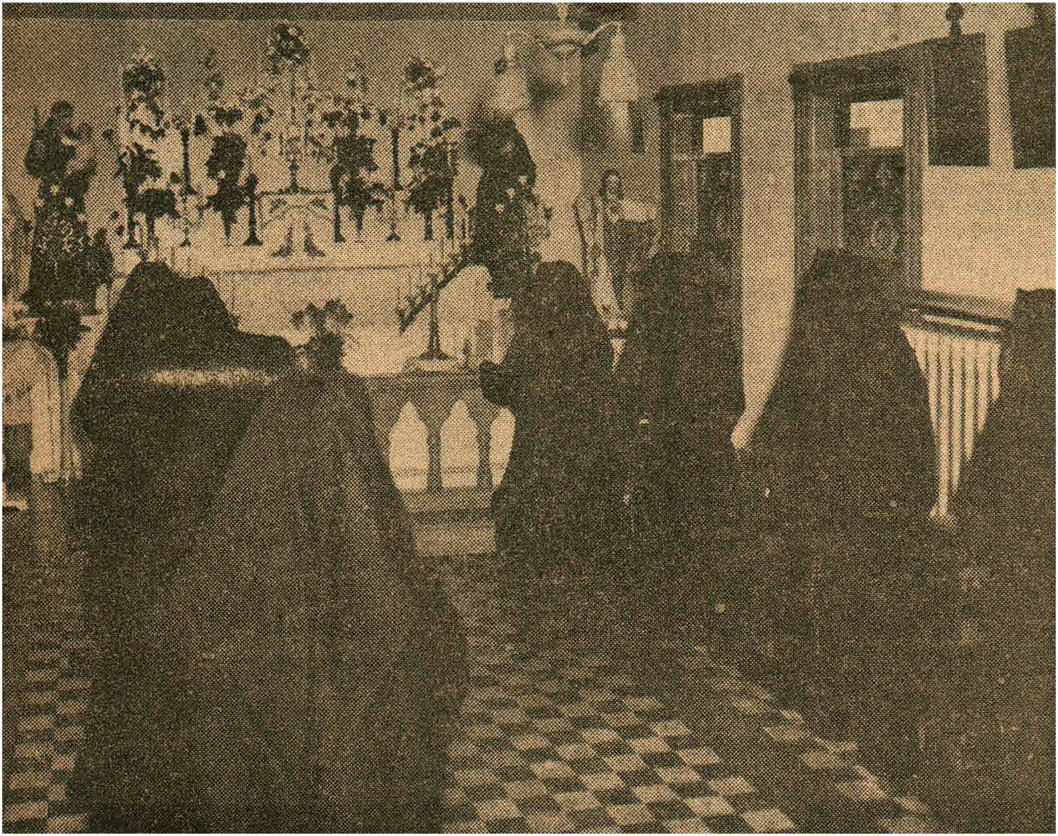

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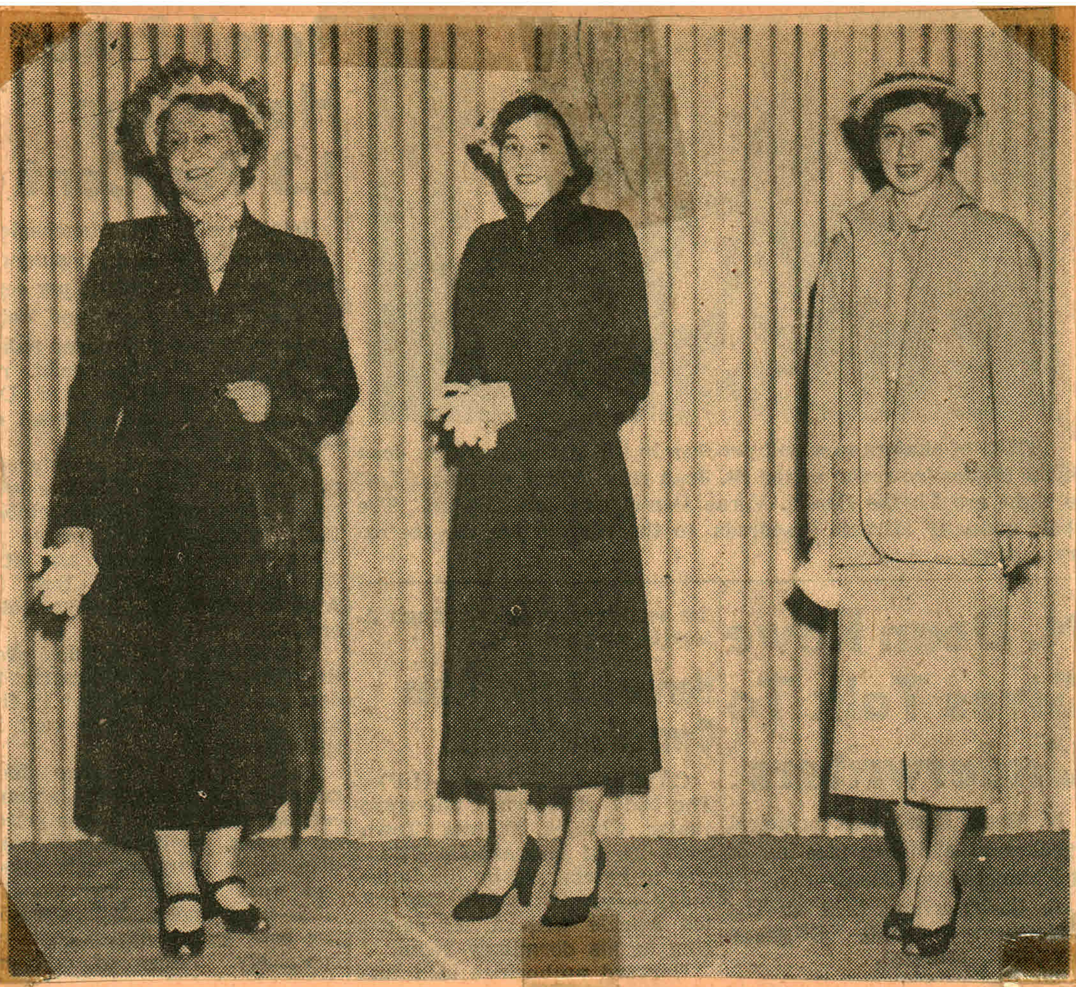

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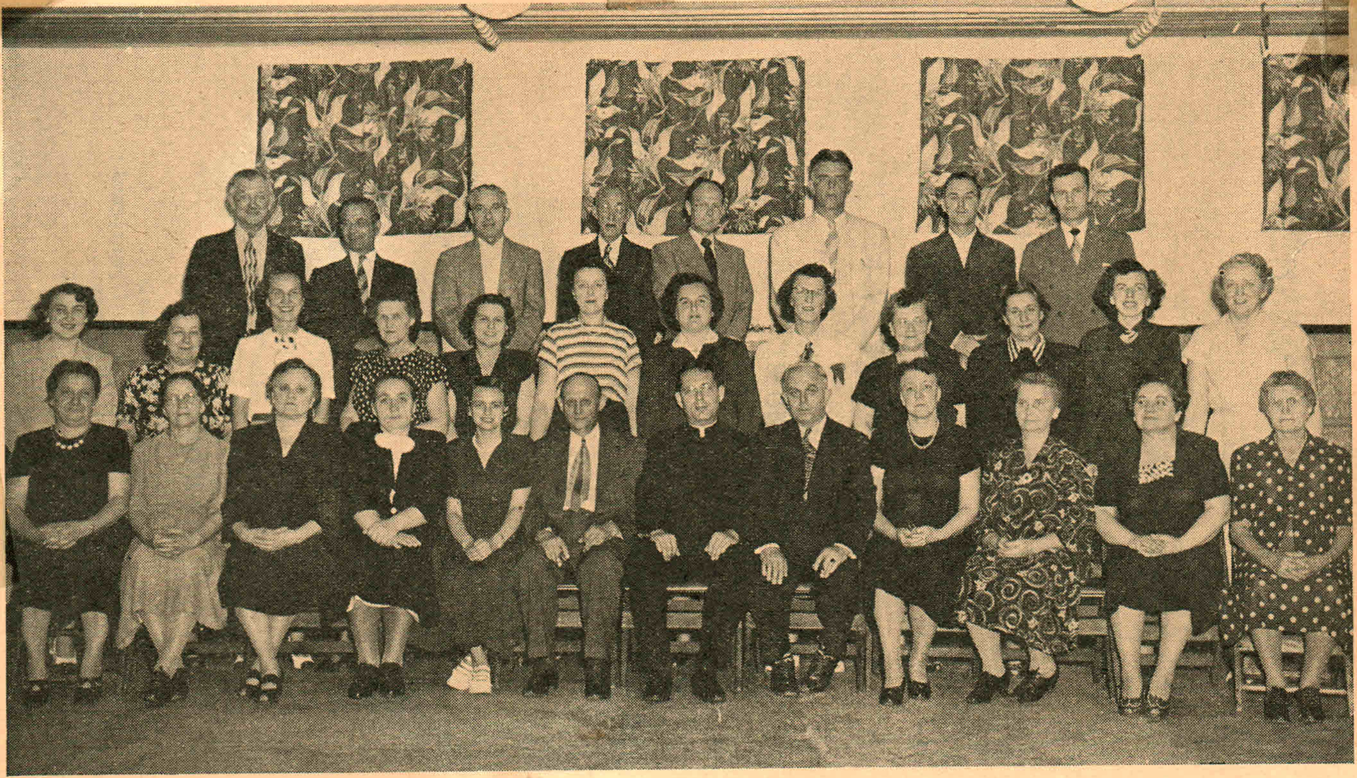

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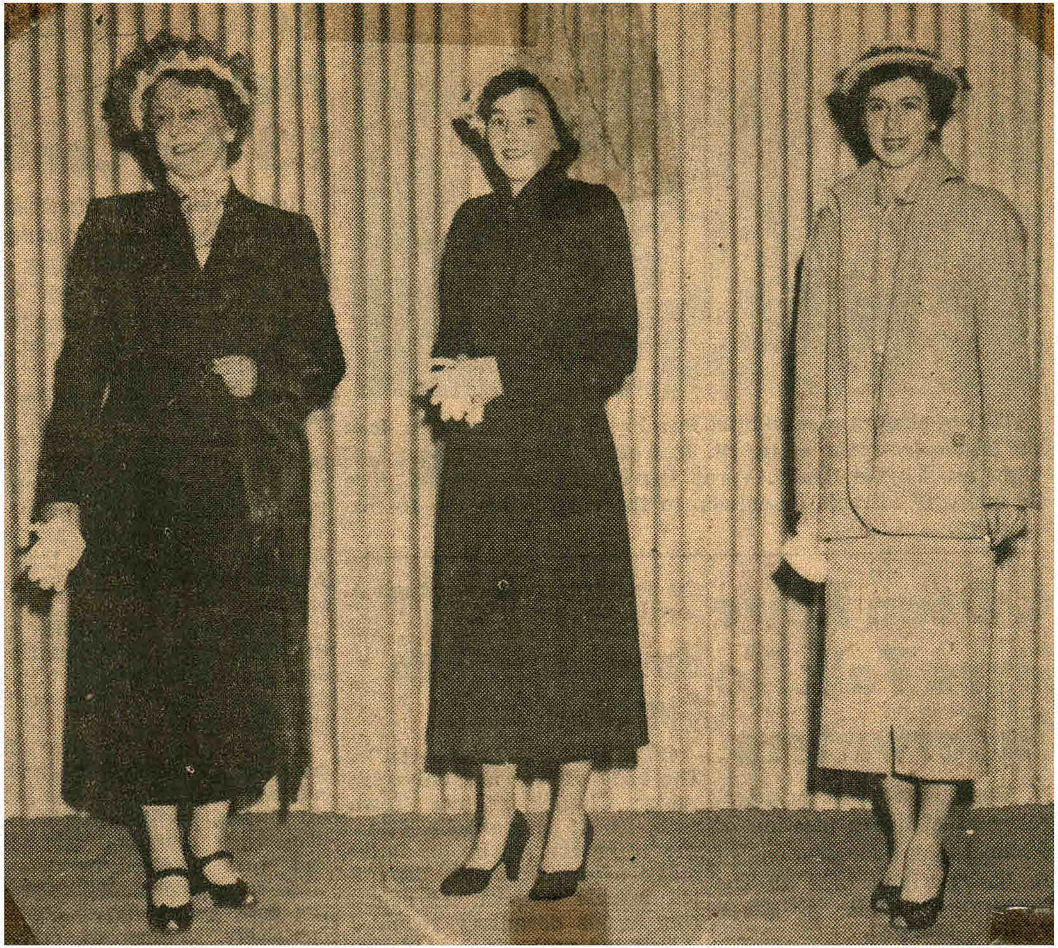

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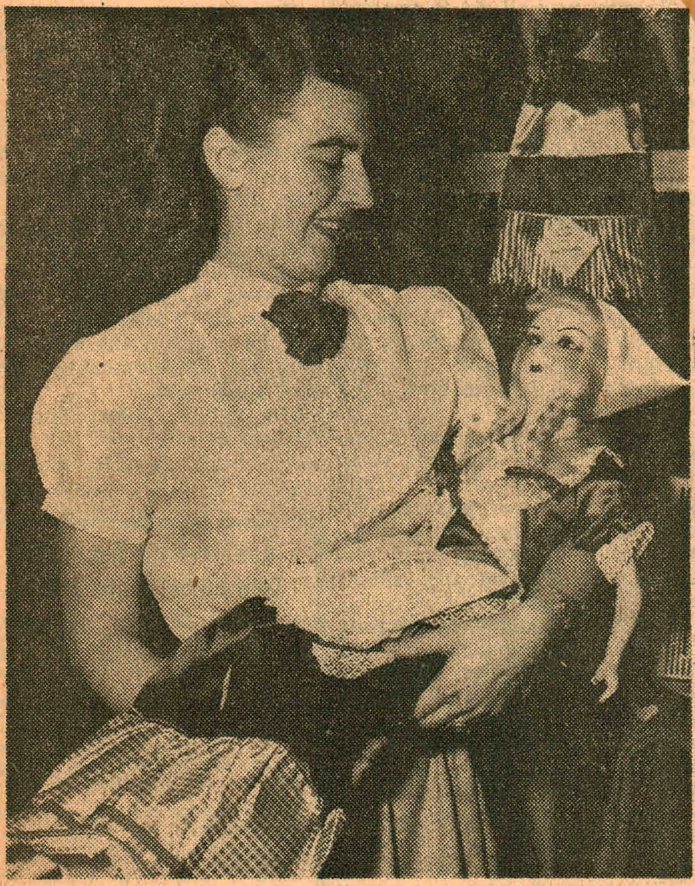

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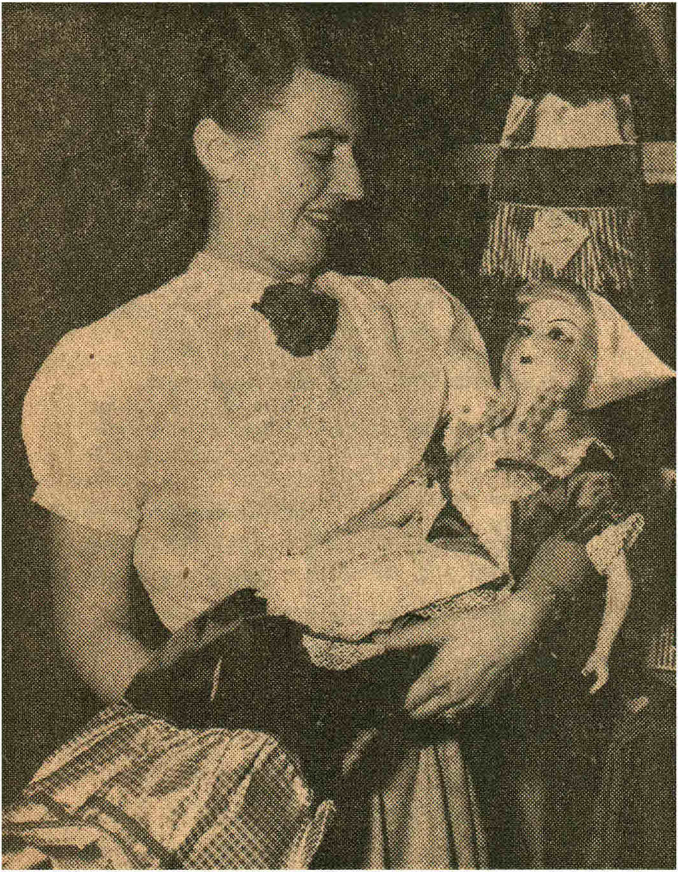

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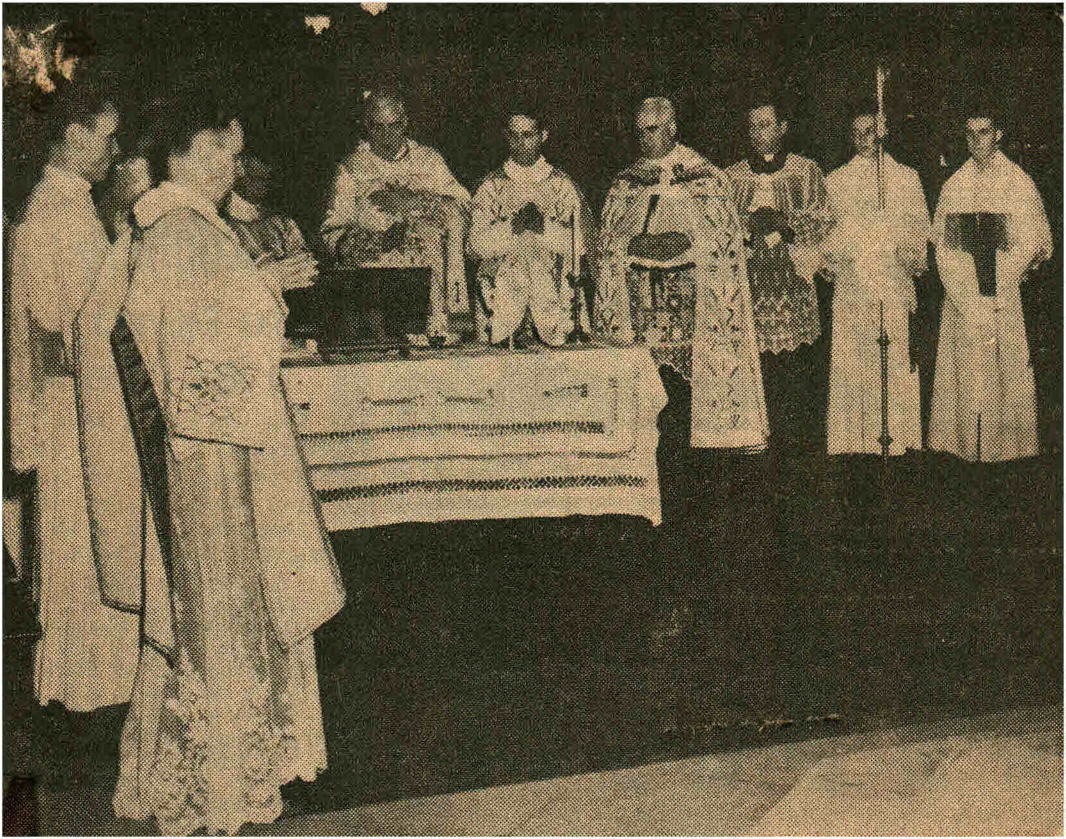

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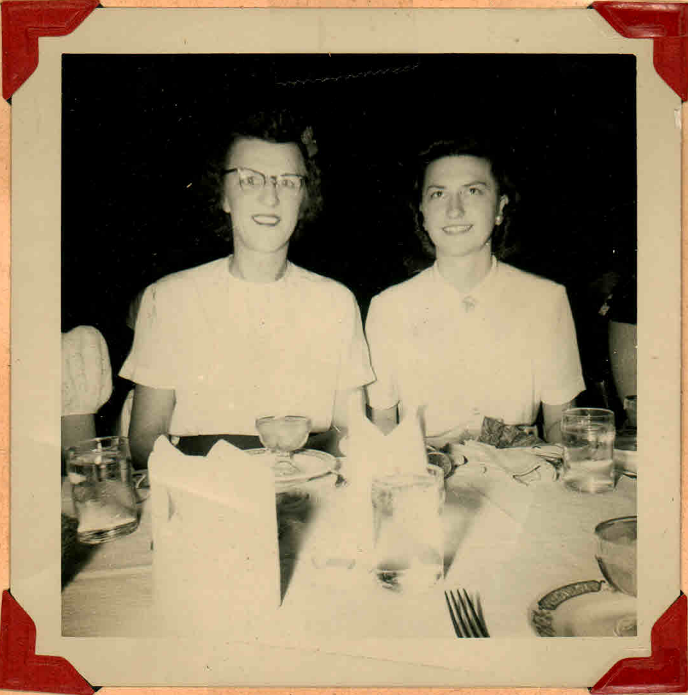

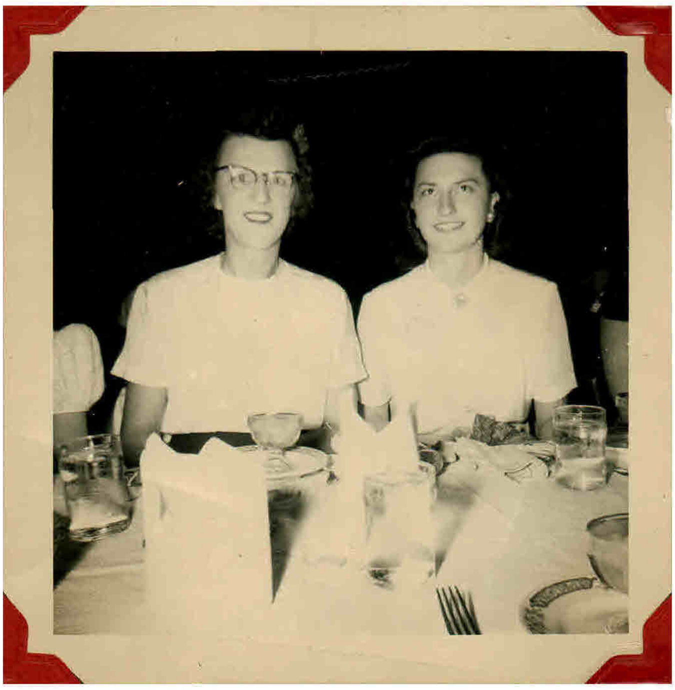

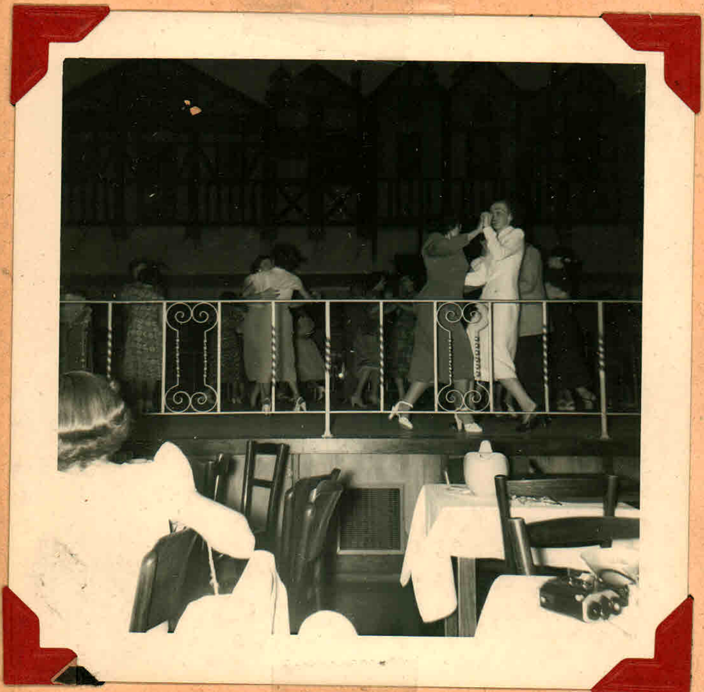

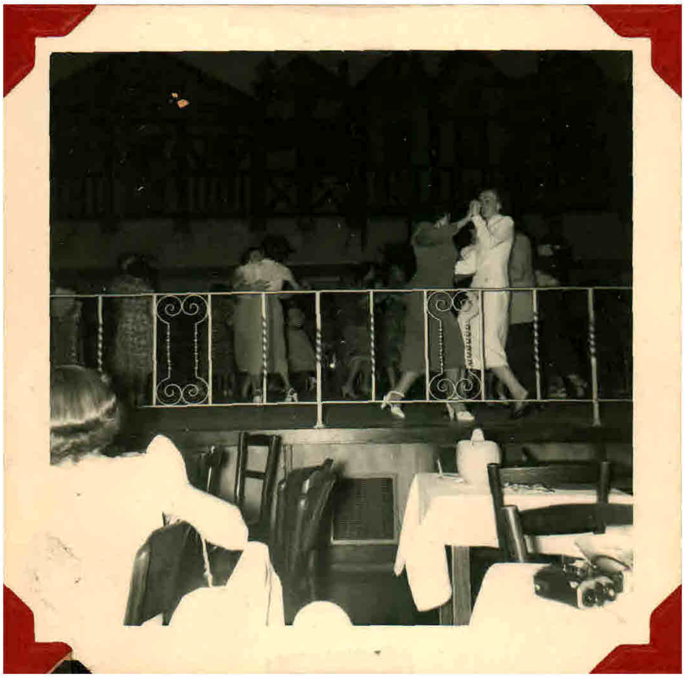

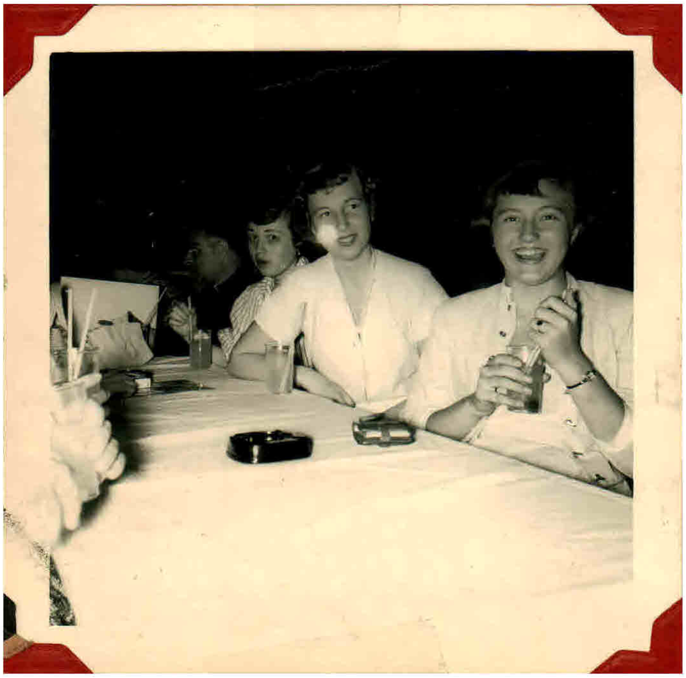

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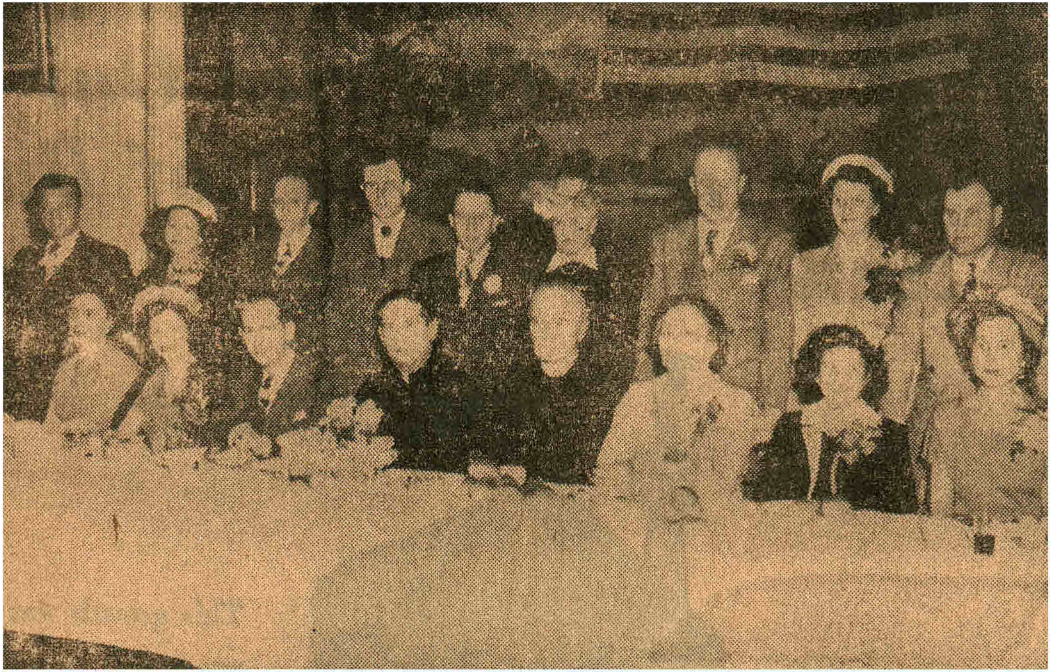

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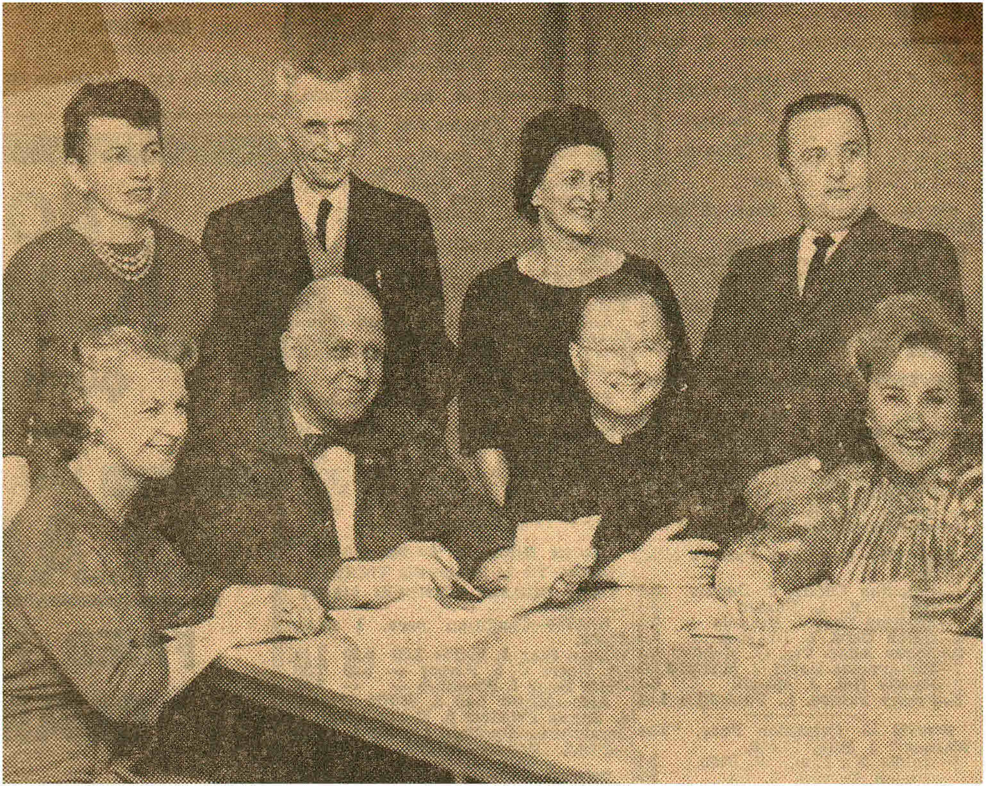

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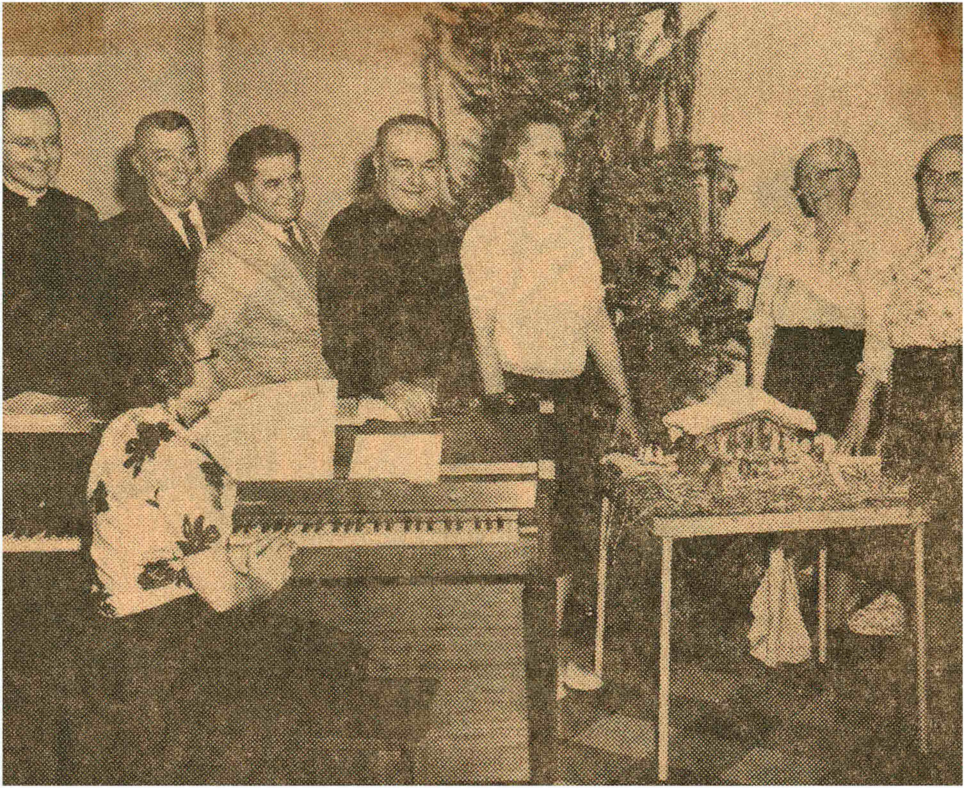

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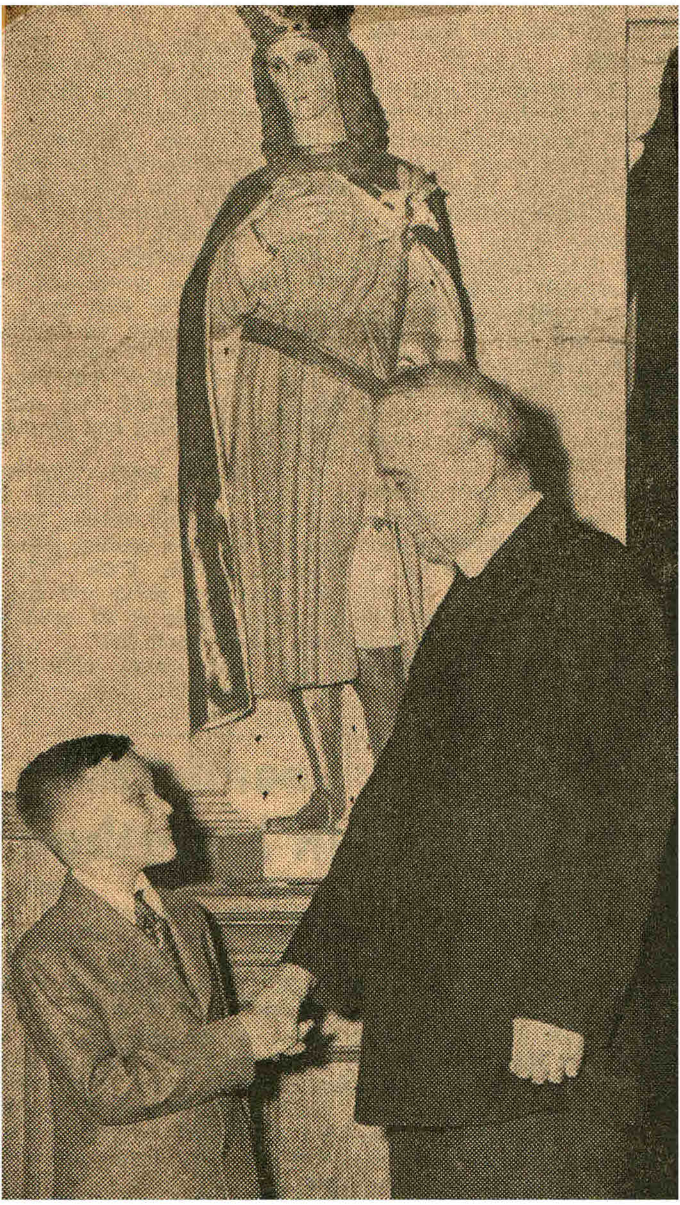

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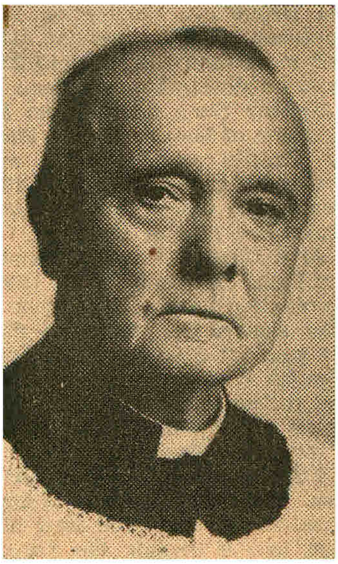

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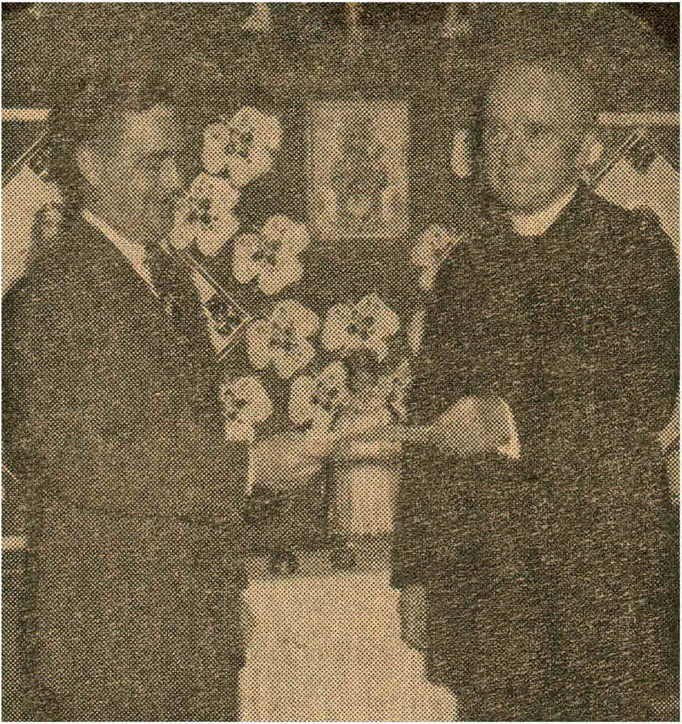

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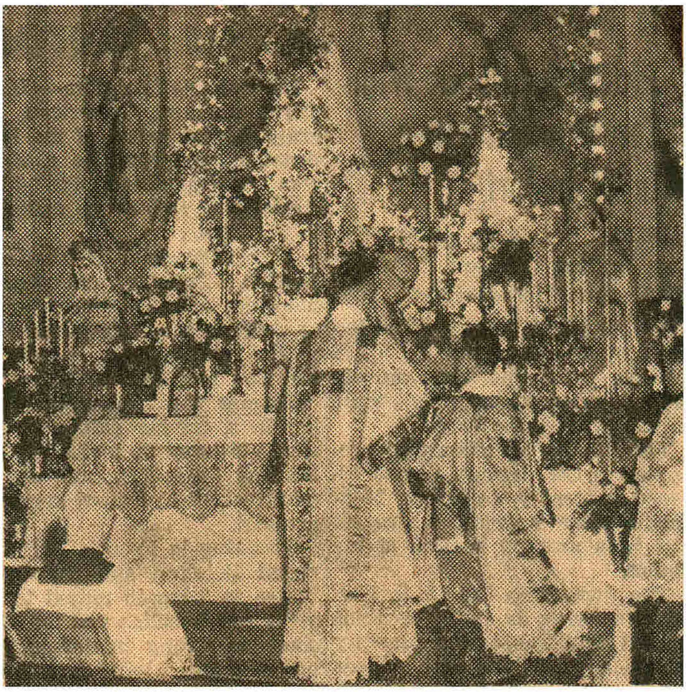

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Date of the investiture will be announced later.

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Monsignor Michael J. Hurley was born June 15, 1903 at Portsmouth. He attended Holy Cross college, American college in Rome and was ordained in Rome Jan. 15, 1928. He served as vice chancellor and secretary to the bishop of the Manchester diocese from 1928 to 1945, when he was named chancellor of the diocese.

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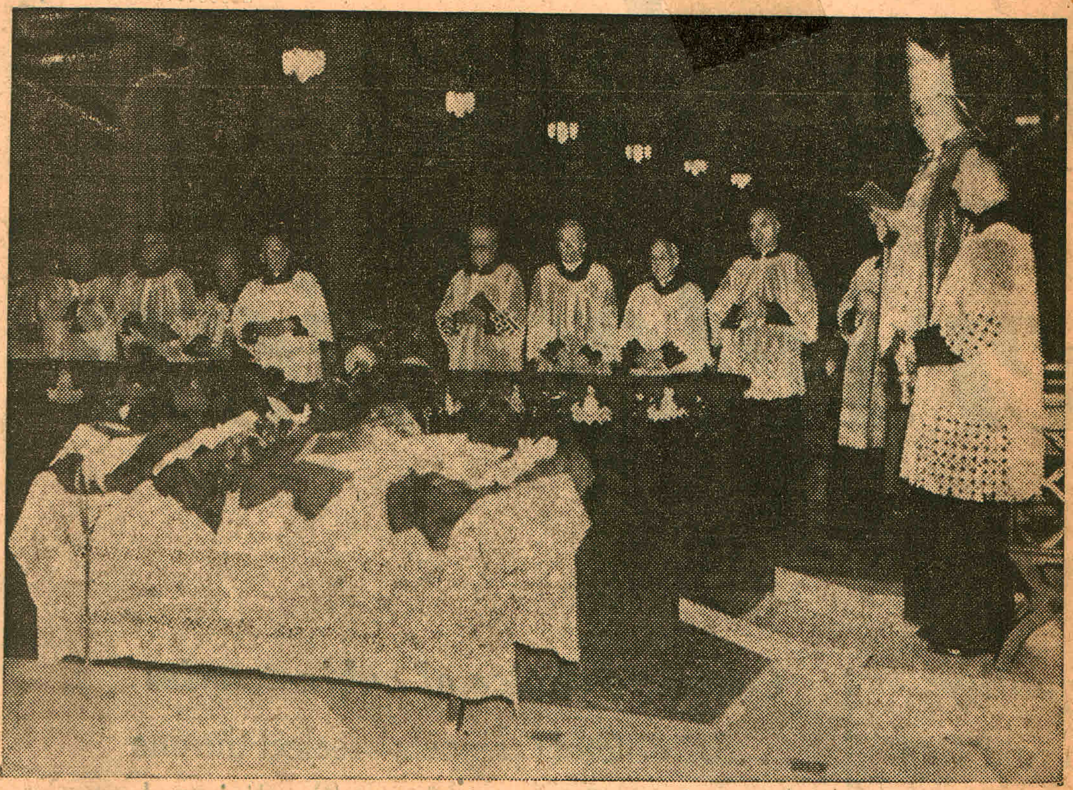

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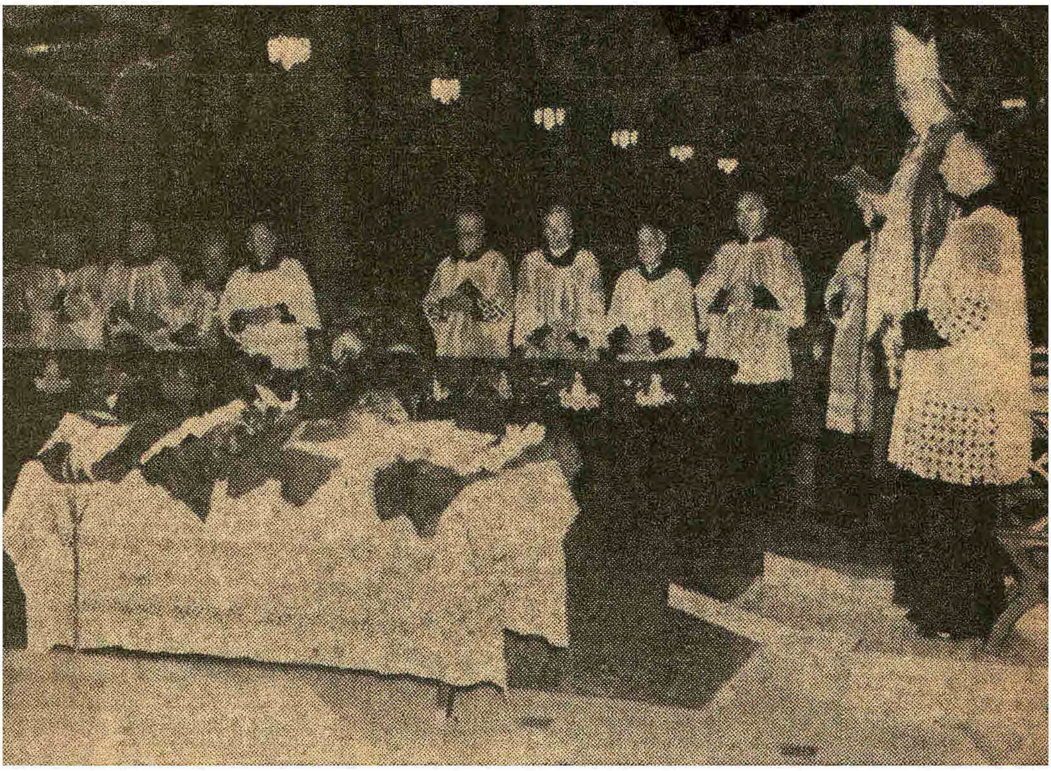

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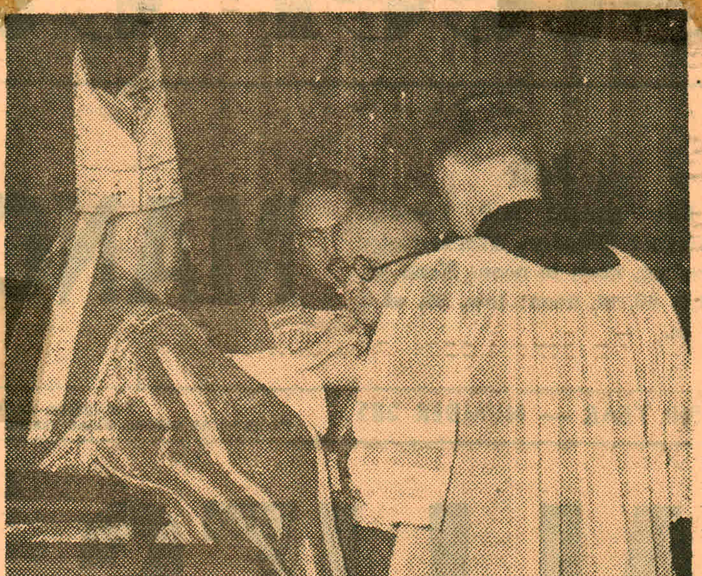

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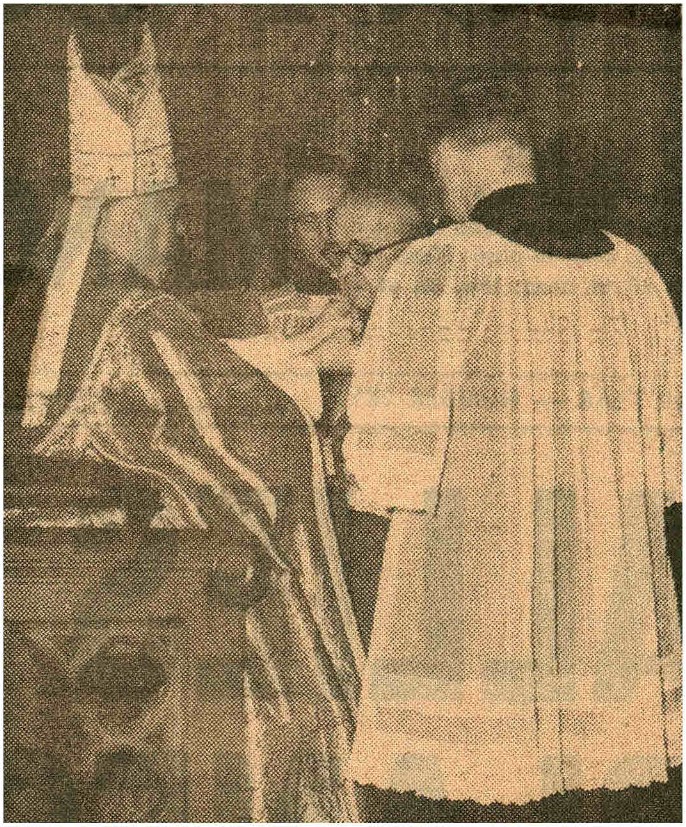

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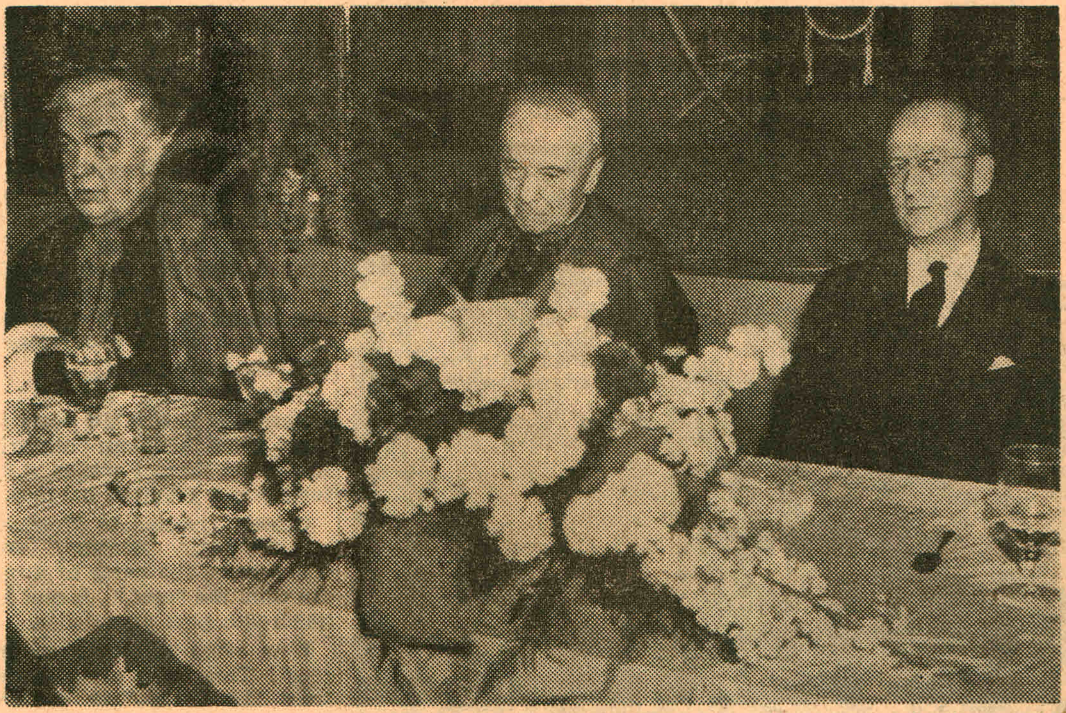

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Officers of Mass

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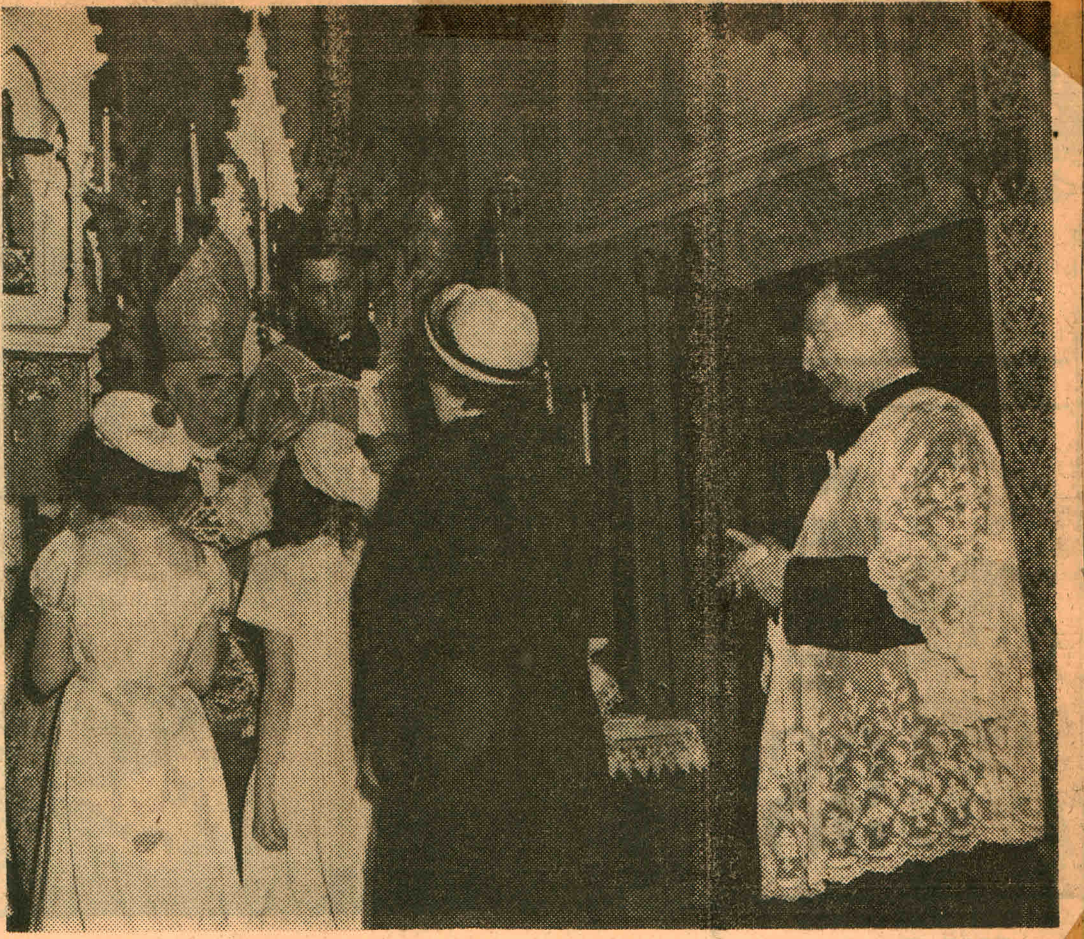

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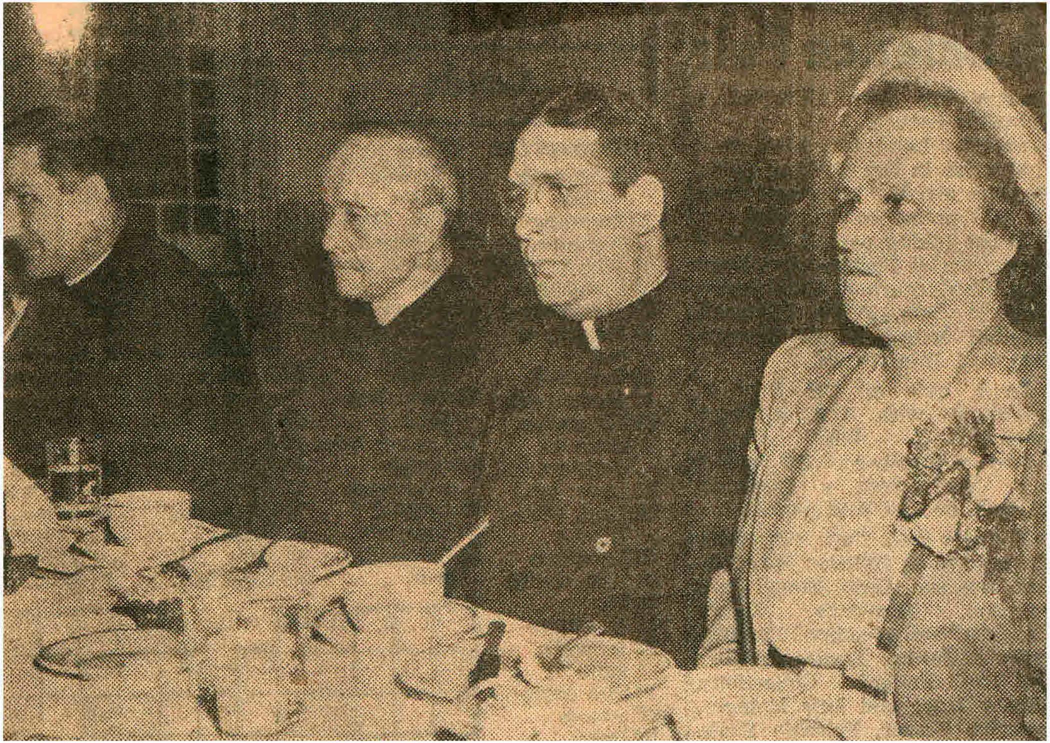

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June 26, 1951

St. Hedwige To Open New Park Sunday

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A band concert by Joseph Gladysz and his band will be the signal for formal opening of the park. This will be followed by a family style picnic. The program starts at 2 o'clock.

Free buses will leave from opposite the school, Union and Merrimack streets, at 1:30 o'clock.

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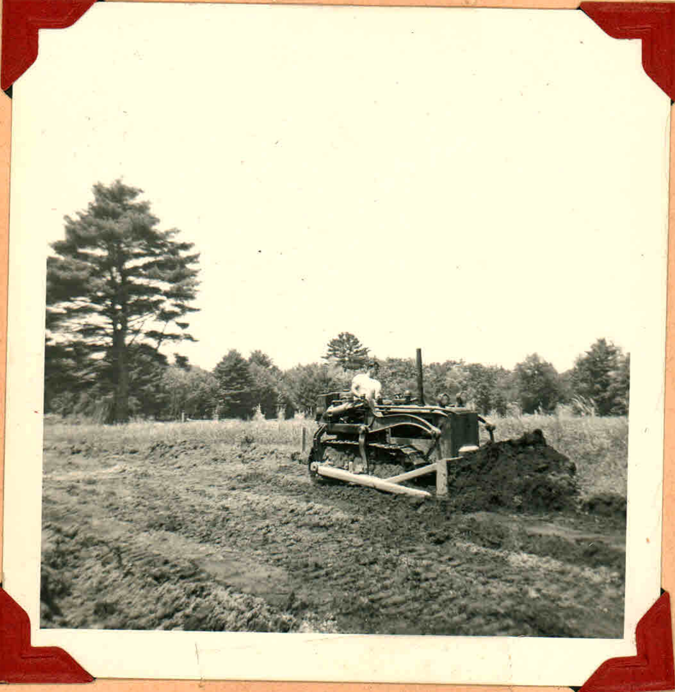

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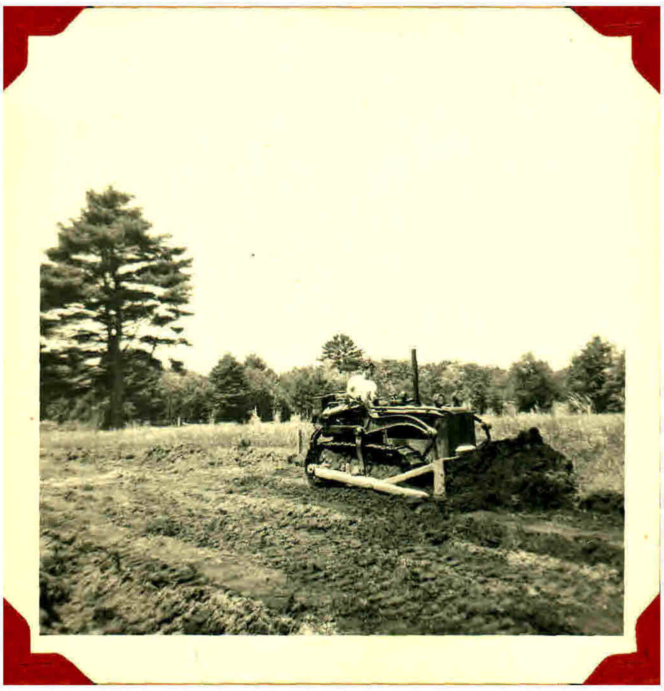

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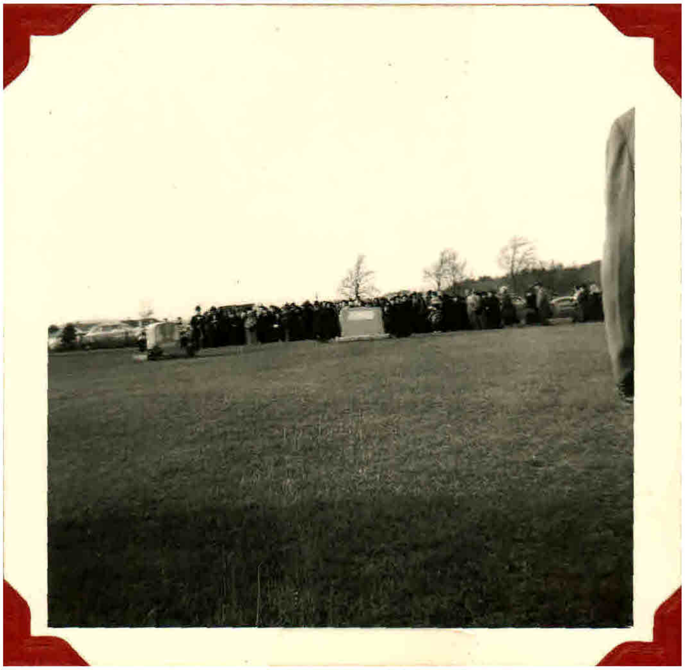

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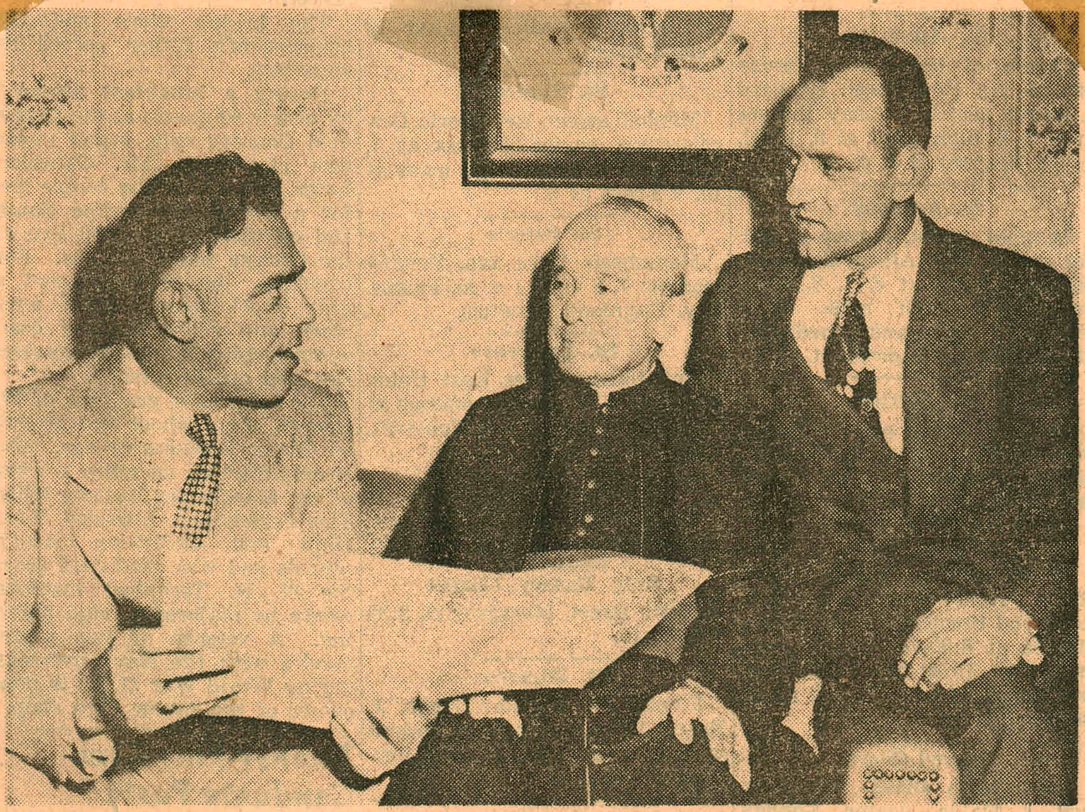

GOING OVER PRELIMINARY PLANS for construction of a new church for St. Hedwidge parish, Manchester's only Polish language Roman Catholic parish, are three leaders in the project. Left to right, Atty. Joseph J. Betley, chairman of the special gifts committee; Rt. Rev. Msgr. John R. Puchala, pastor of the church; Stanley Gorski, chairman of the general building committee. (Staff Photo)

Drive Launched For St. Hedwige's Fund For Church

A New Church Building Fund committee has been formed by parishioners of St. Hedwidge parish for the purpose of collecting funds for a new edifice.

The committee elected at the meeting is as follows:

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a Polish-speaking priest to administer to their spiritual needs.

The following were chosen to help Mr. Betley in this phase of the work:

John Betley, Frank Mazur, Bronislaw Prokuski, Michael Stefanik, Dr. John Wlodkoski, Dr. Walter Zagorski, Dr. John Macek, Stanley Dabrowski.

Father Puchala Assigned

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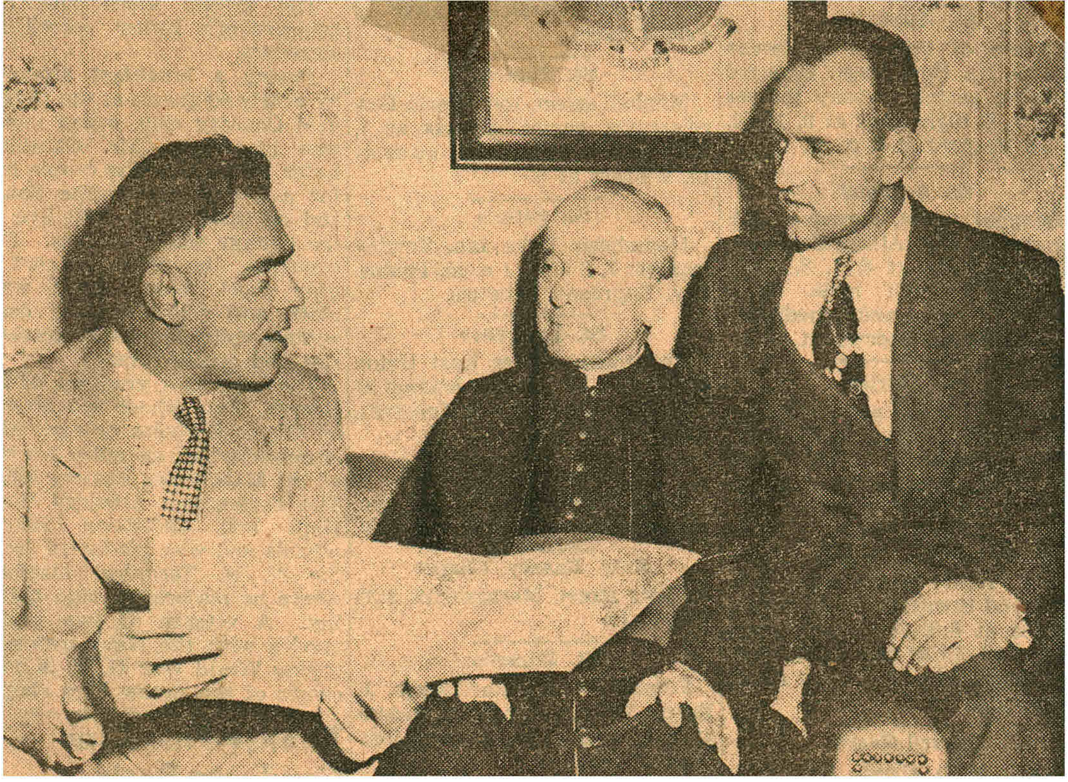

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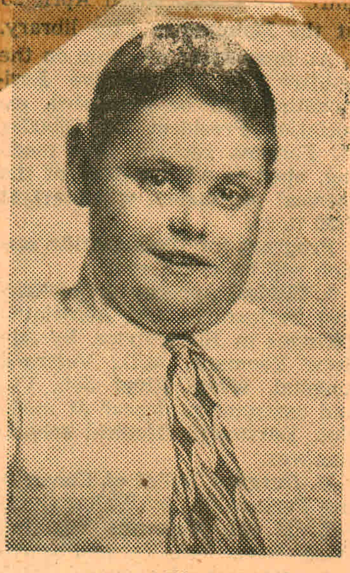

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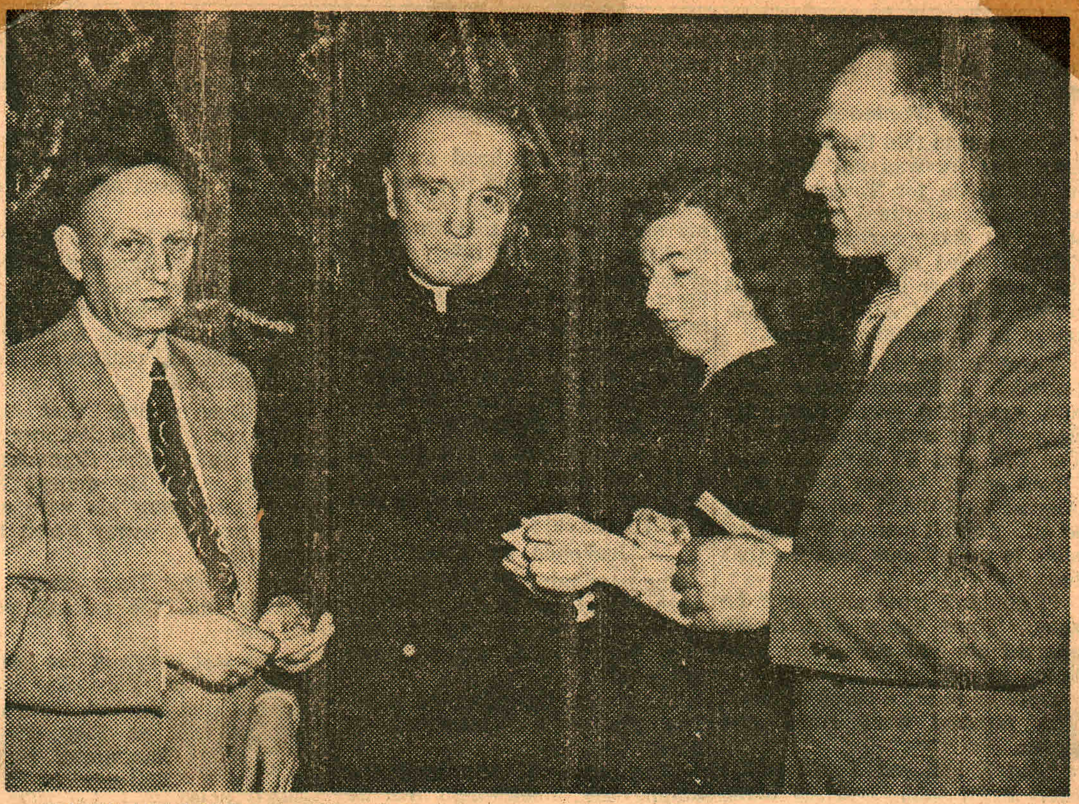

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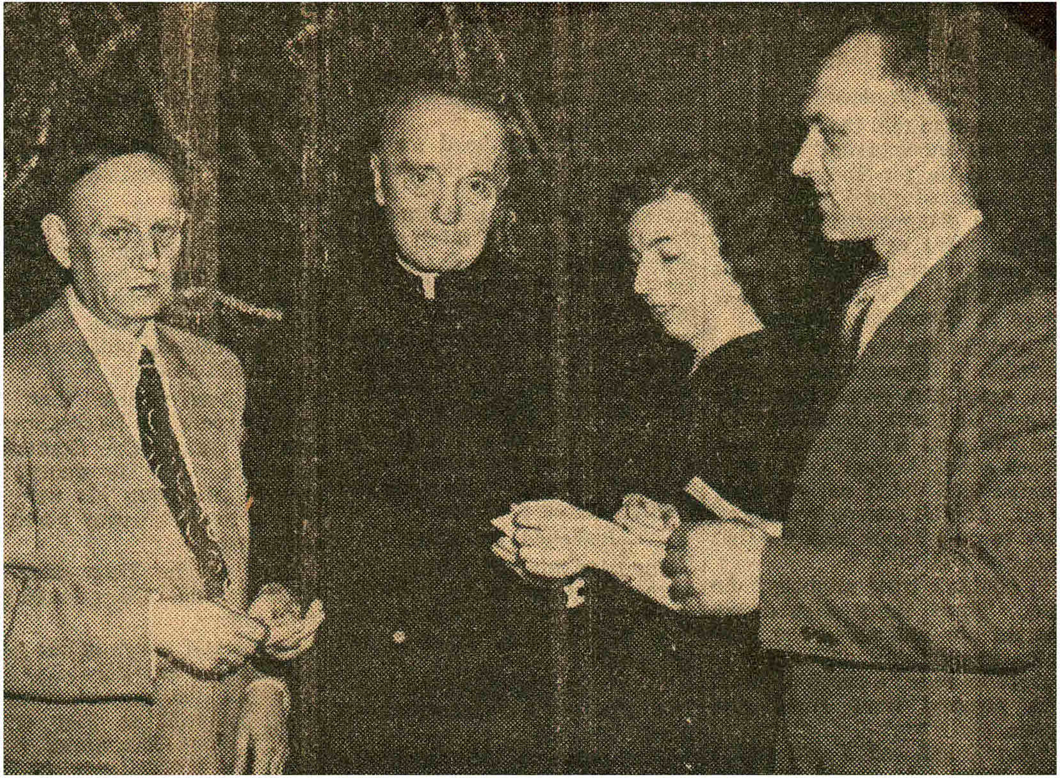

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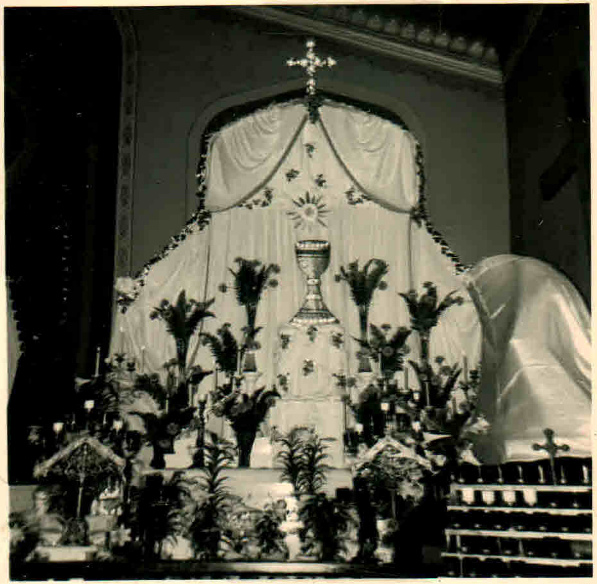

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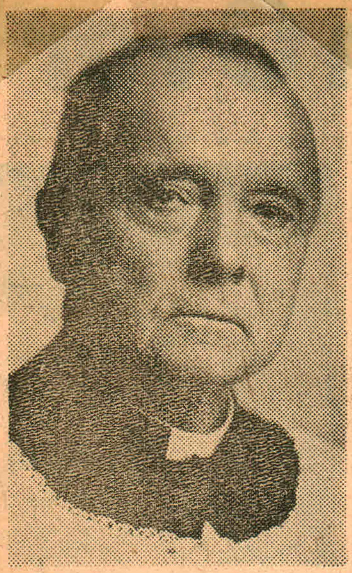

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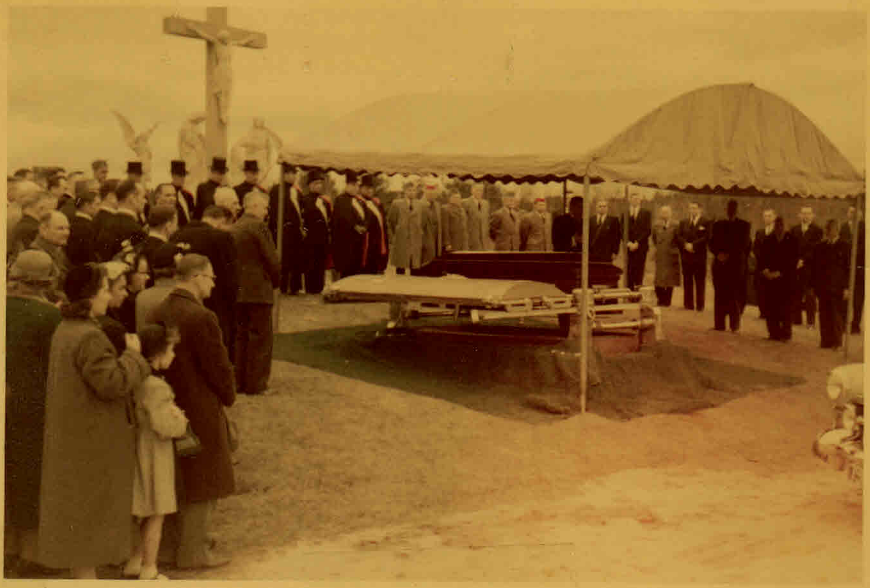

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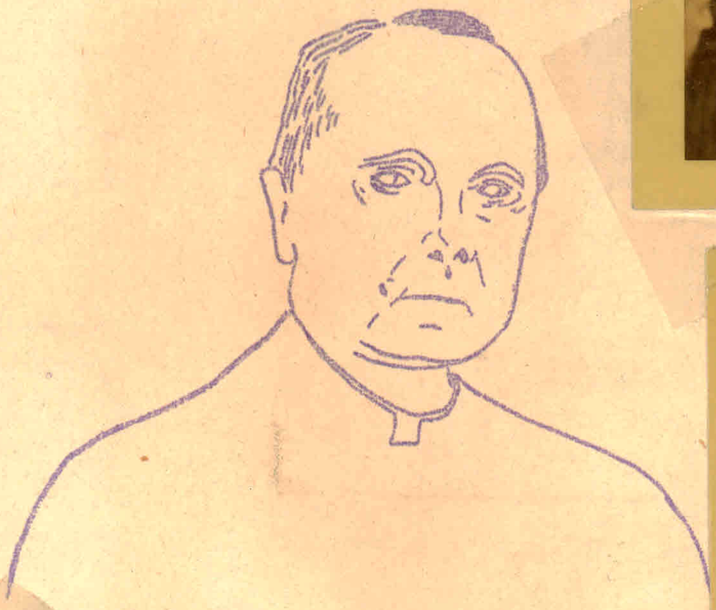

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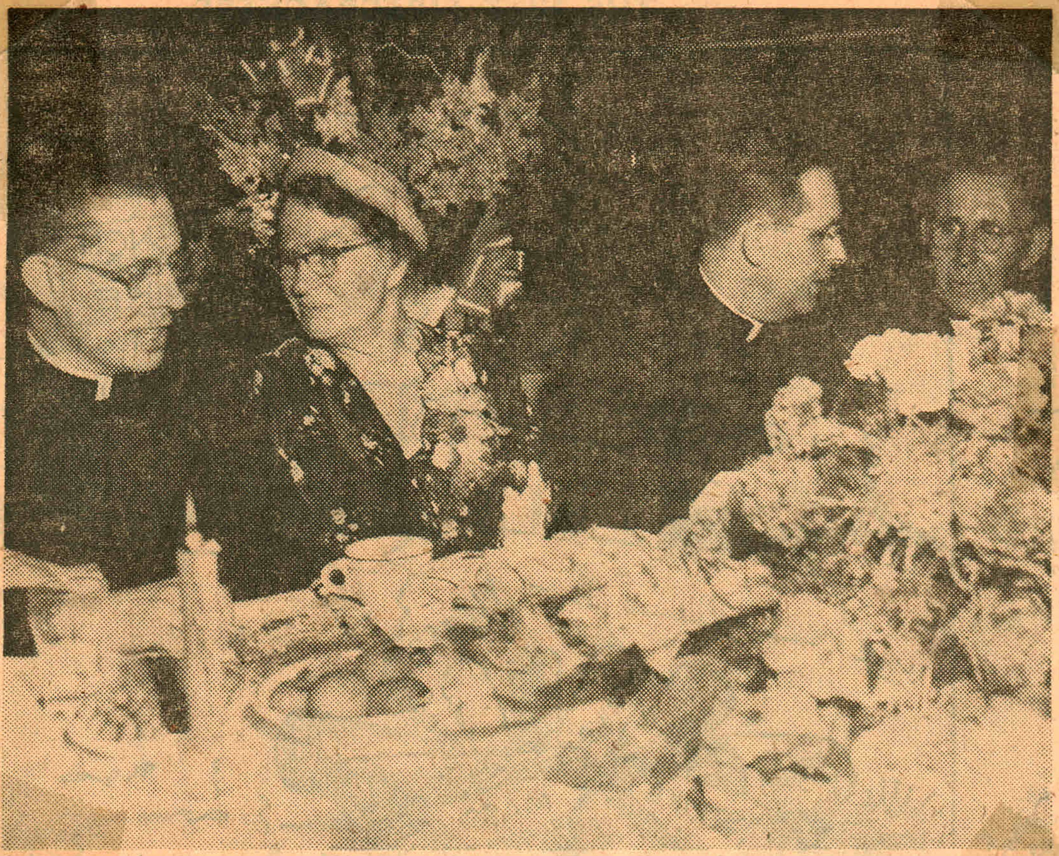

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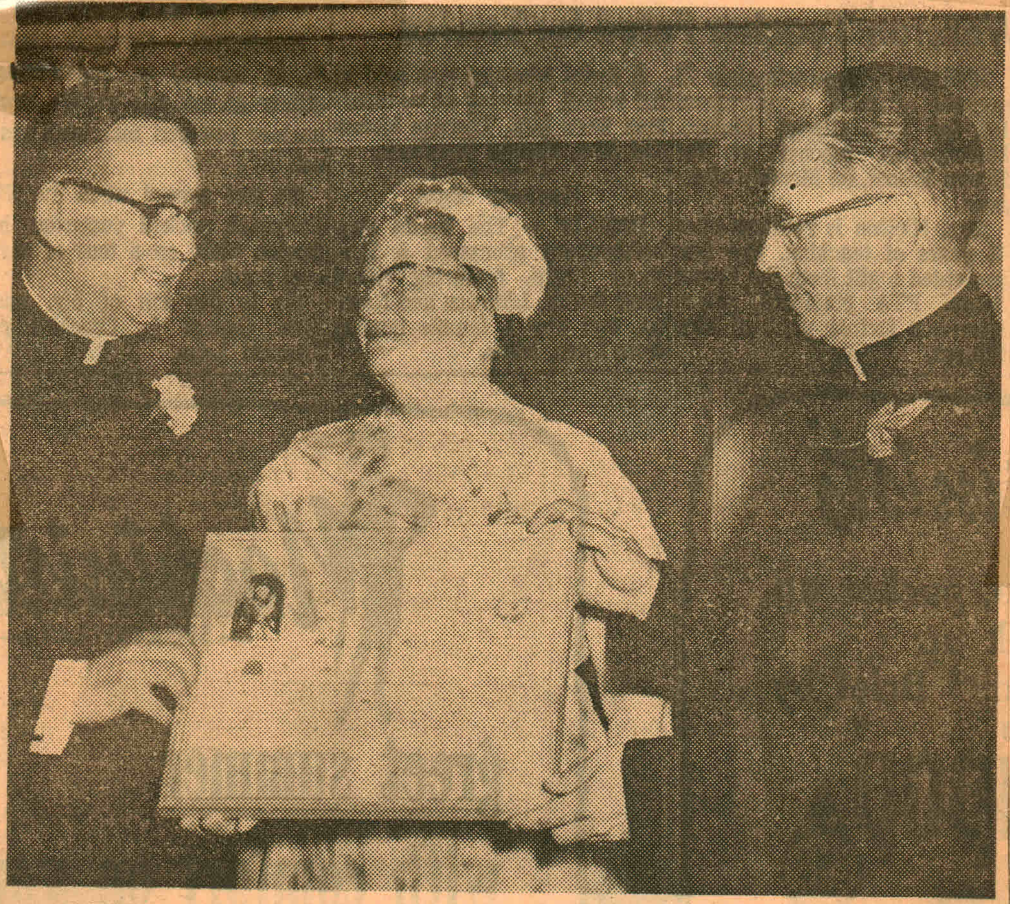

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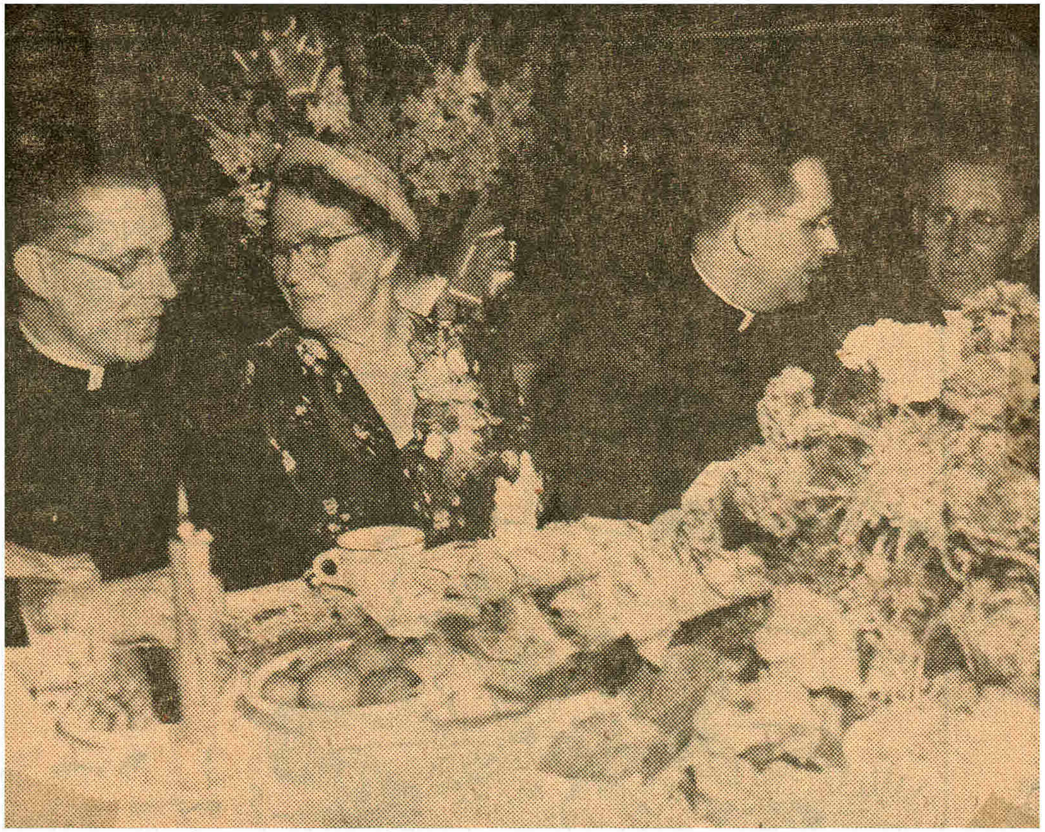

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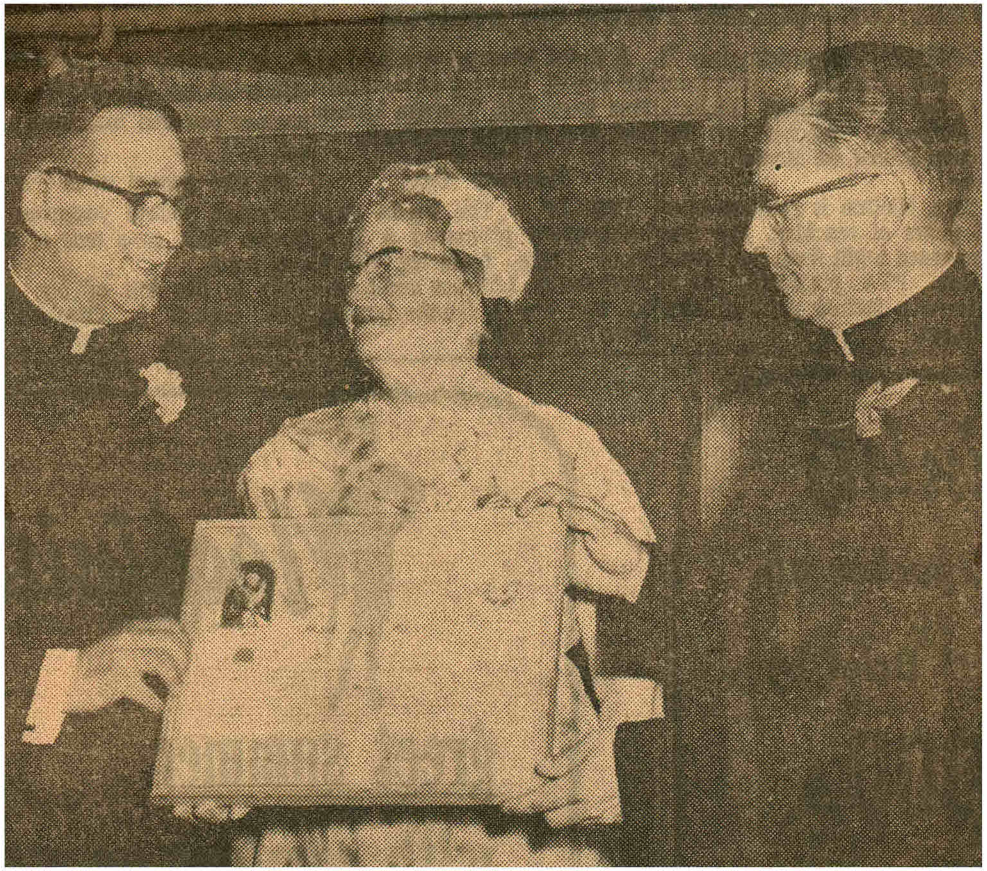

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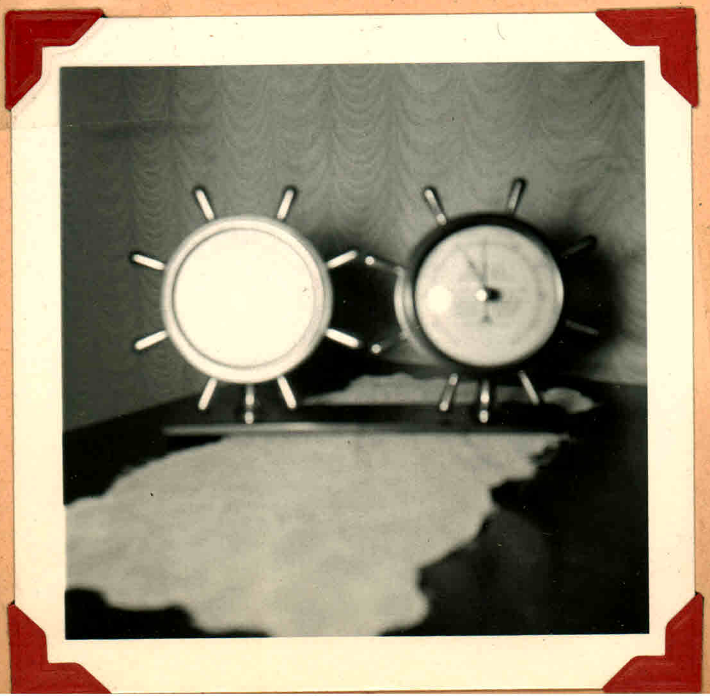

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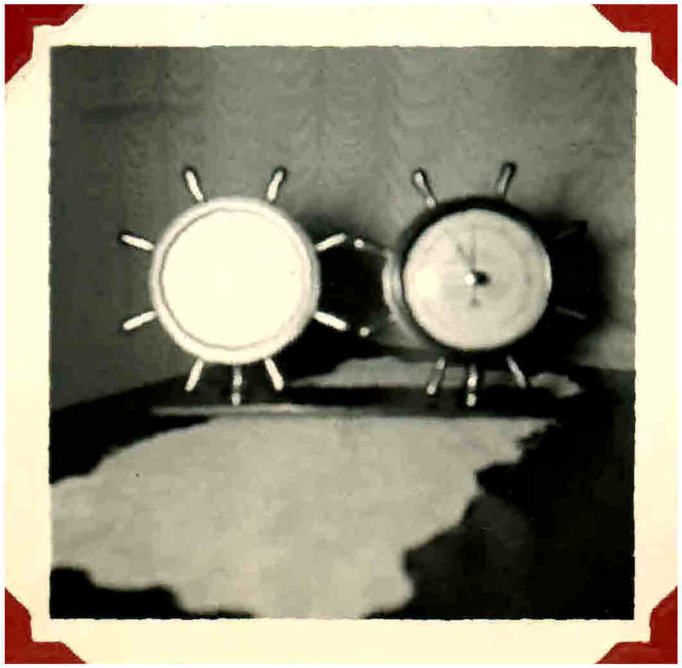

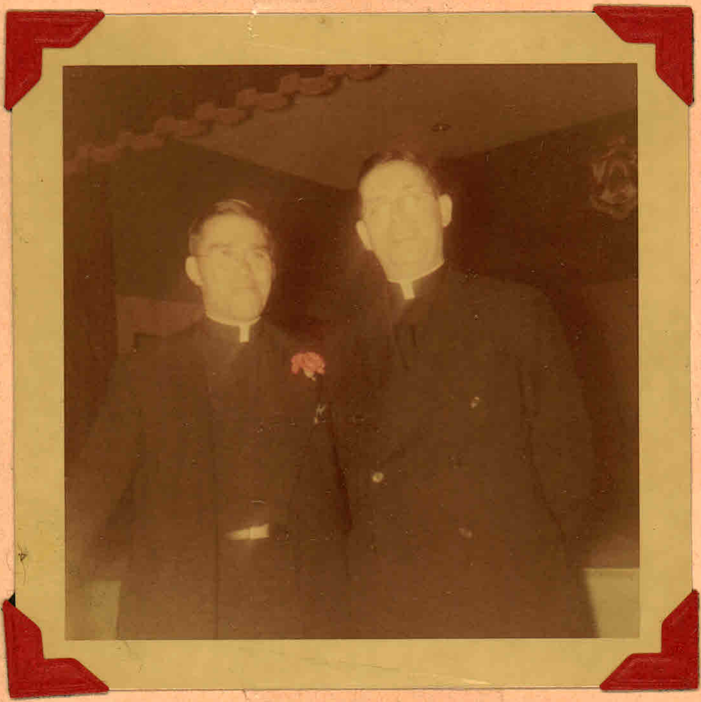

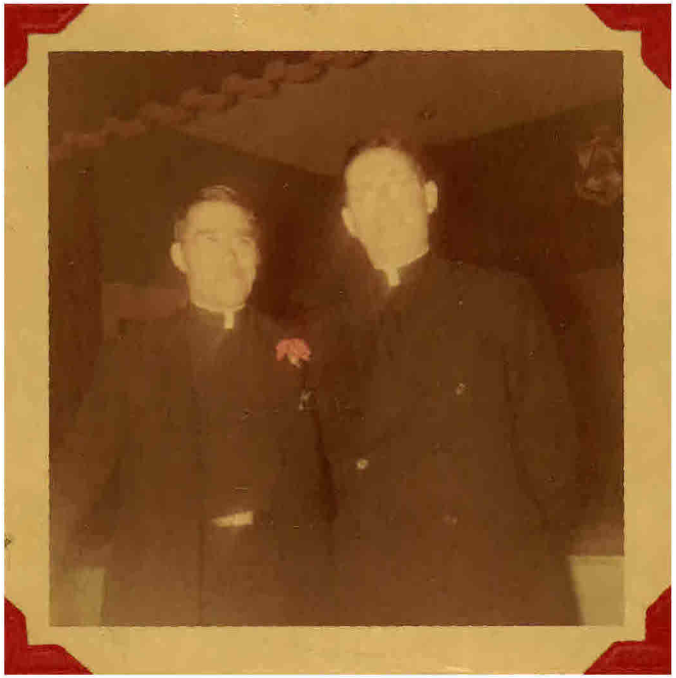

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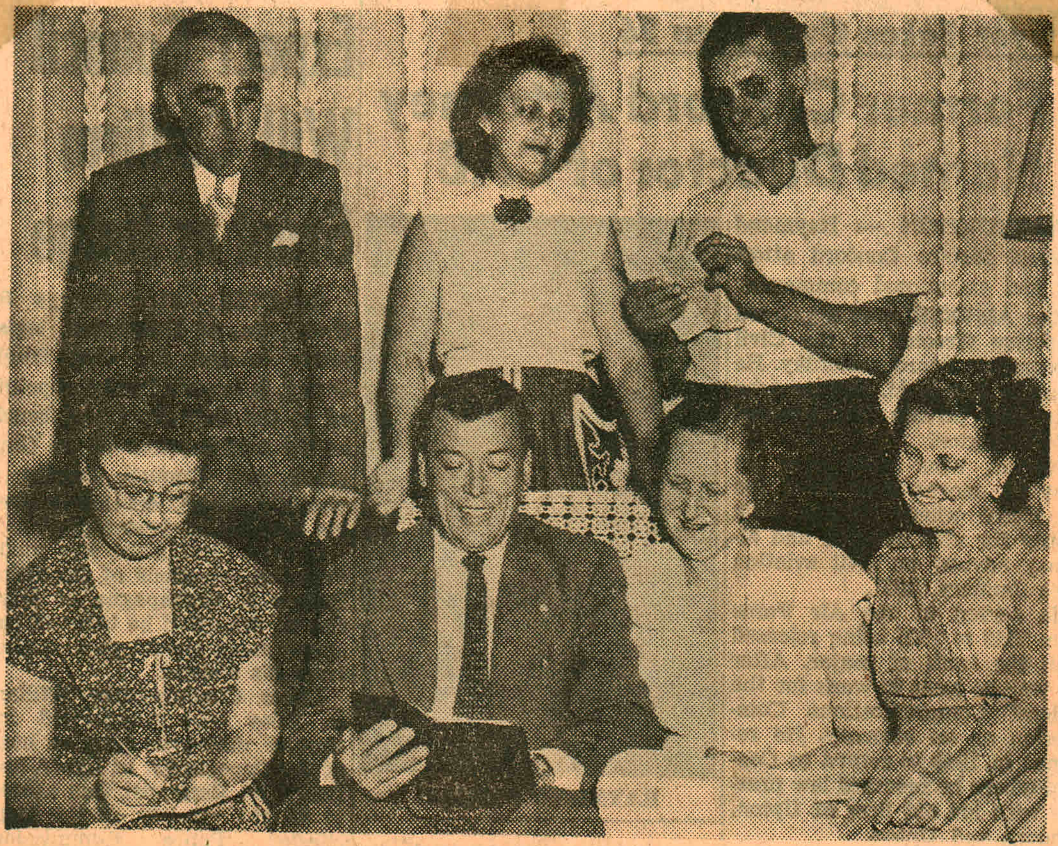

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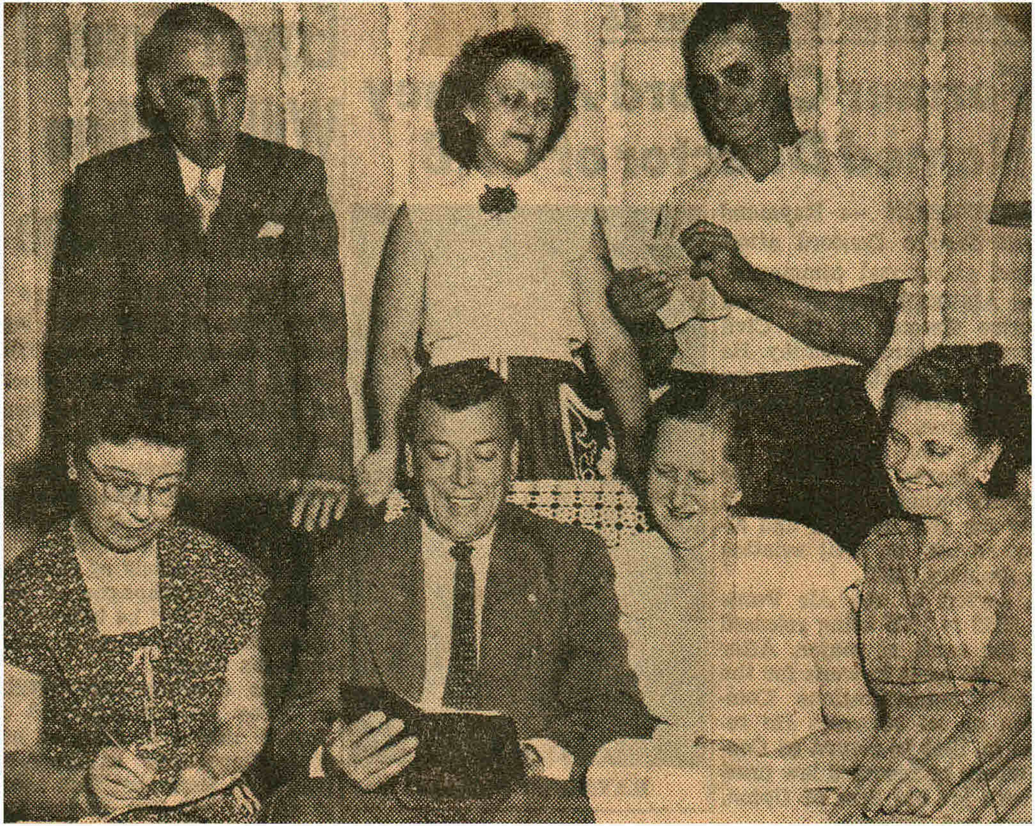

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STUDENTS AT ST. CASIMIR school who worked on the tribute to Rev. Joseph J. Dombrowski, one of the foremost Polish Catholic pioneer priests in America, are shown at the school with their handiwork. Reading from left to right, Julia Palys, Helen Radwan, Clara Olesniewicz and Beverley Cooley. The school will present program honoring Father Dombrowski on Friday. (Staff Photo)

— W. A. Rheault Photo

VINCENT J. KLOCEK

President Klocek Will Be Honored By Casimir Club

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Since 1928, when the club was organized, Klocek has been active in church and community social affairs. He is a member of St. Hedwig Parish and a World War I veteran.

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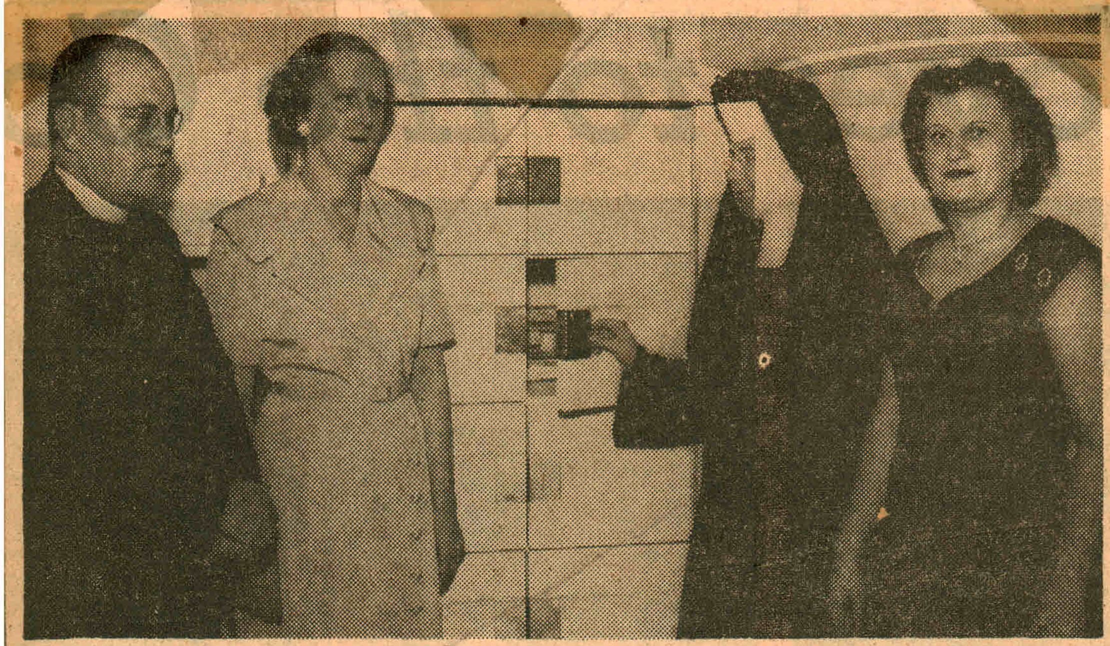

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MAY GIFTS - 1953

Benefit St. Casimir's School P. T. G.

3 Grand Awards 3

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— W. A. Rheault Photo
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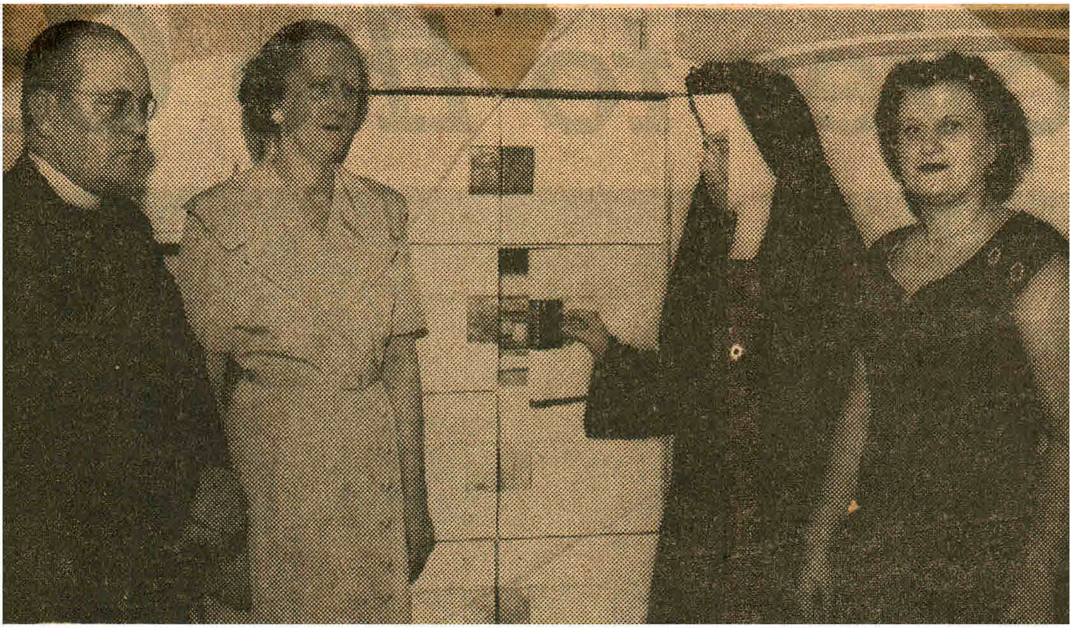

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Those to be ordained include Rev. Roland R. Belanger, Manchester; Rev. Gerard A. Boucher, Durham; Rev. Maurice R. Lacroix, Berlin; Rev. Denis G. Looney, OSB, Manchester; Rev. Paul F. McHugh, Manchester; Rev. Edwin W. Milne of Lincoln; Rev. John E. Molan of Manchester; Rev. John V. Moran, Manchester; Rev. Albert W. Olkovikas, Manchester; Rev. Eugene J. Pelletier, Leominster, Mass.; Rev. Maurus D. Pollard, OSB, Manchester; Rev. John F. Shea, Manchester; Rev. Stanley E. Skora, Manchester; Rev. Vincent A. Lawless, Franklin; Rev. Francis J. O'Connor, Lawrence, Mass.; and Rev. Louis Palumbo who will be ordained for the diocese of Mobile, Ala.

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Choir Conclave Held at Parish

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Co-chairmen of the event are John J. Gladysz, director, and Matilda M. Bykowski, president.

Plans and preparations are well underway and rehearsals are held each week.

Various committees in charge include: Banquet: Genevieve McLoskey, assisted by Jane Albrewczynski; decorations: Joseph Musialik, assisted by Maryann Zielinski; program and tickets: Ann Lacheta, assisted by Julia Dudek and Joan Walas; hall: John Walas, assisted by Henry Bochenek, Harry Spain, Robert Ritchie, Benjamin Lubelczyk, John Waszeciak Jr., Walter Skwierz and Edward Beaulieu.

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The dance, featuring a nationally known recording polka band, attracted upwards of 300 people, many from such surrounding communities.

Treasurer I. John Luczko announced that all proceeds from the affair will be applied to the plaque fund. Preliminary reports indicate that a substantial boost will be given the fund. To ensure the attainment of the goal, however, voluntary donations will continue to be accepted.

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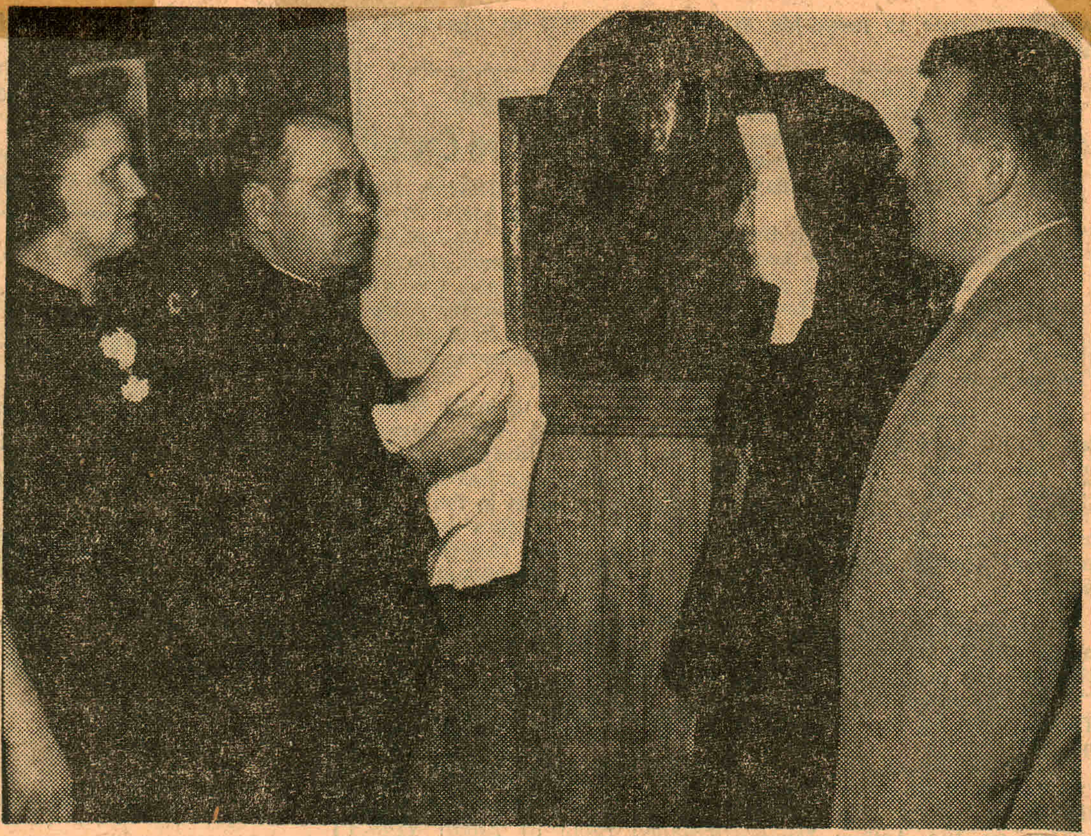

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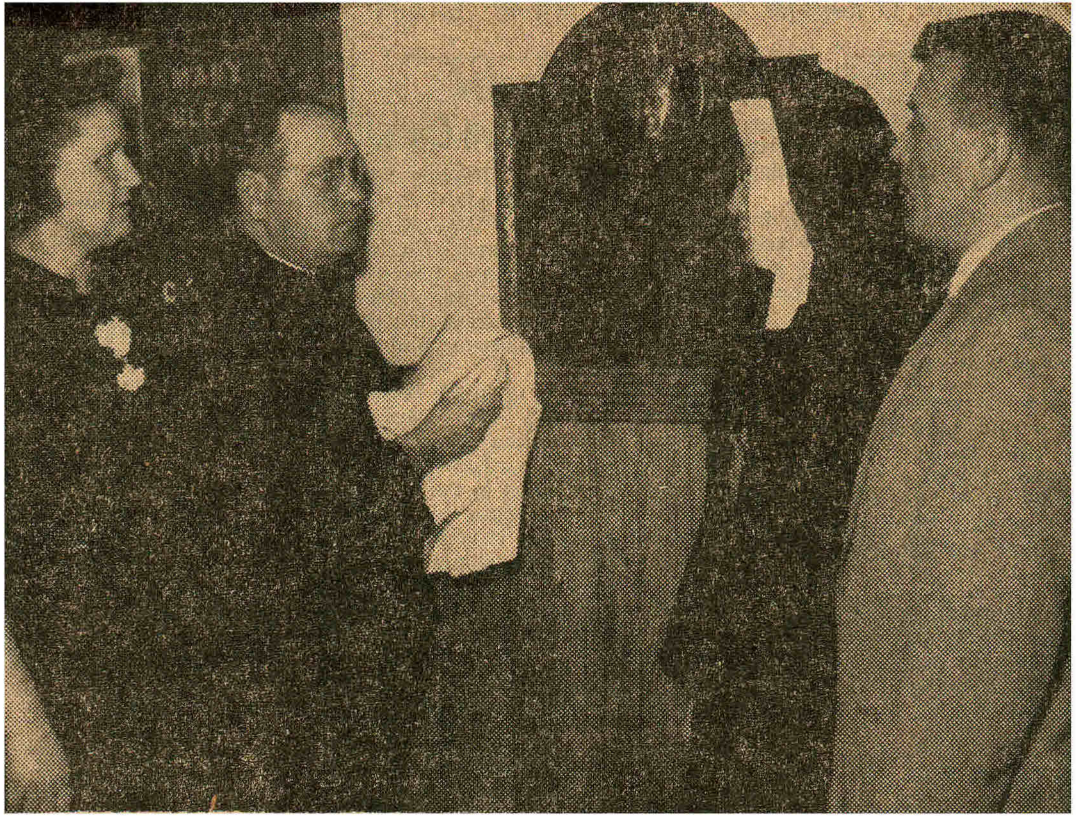

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PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES have been planned for the Catholic Young Adults by the officers pictured. Seated from left are Miss Pauline Caron, corresponding-secretary; Walter Szulc, vice president; Miss Joan Walas, recording-secretary, and Frederick J. Ejdowski, president.
(Staff Photo by Naum)

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(Staff Photo by Chris Goudas)

ICHESTER (N. H.) UNION LEADER — Thursday, June 8, 1967

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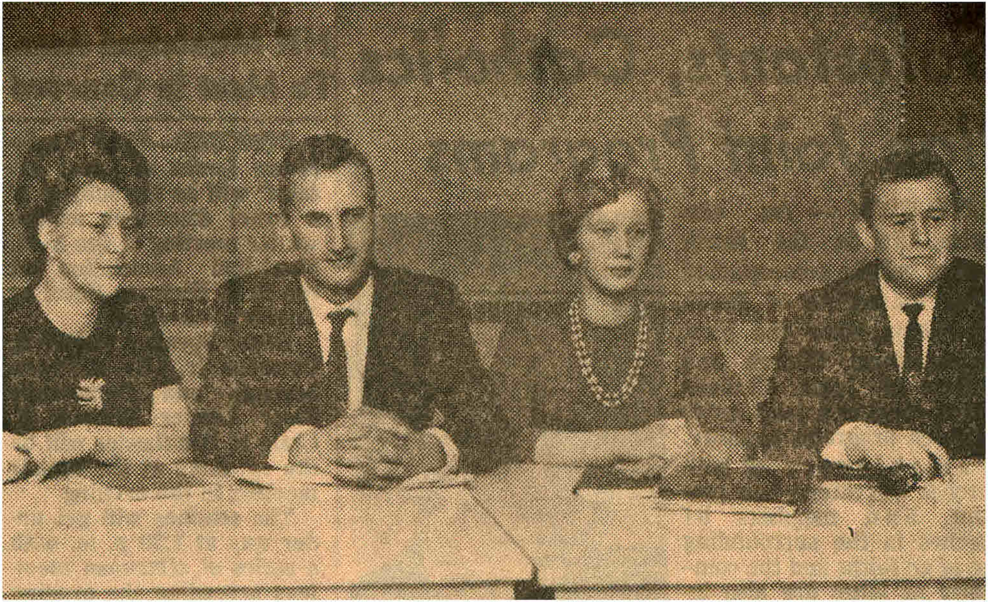

PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES have been planned for the Catholic Young Adults by the officers pictured. Seated from left are Miss Pauline Caron, corresponding-secretary; Walter Szulc, vice president; Miss Joan Walas, recording-secretary, and Frederick J. Ejdowski, president.
(Staff Photo by Naum)

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— Tuesday, September 7, 1965

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(Staff Photo by Chris Goudas)

Thursday, June 8, 1967

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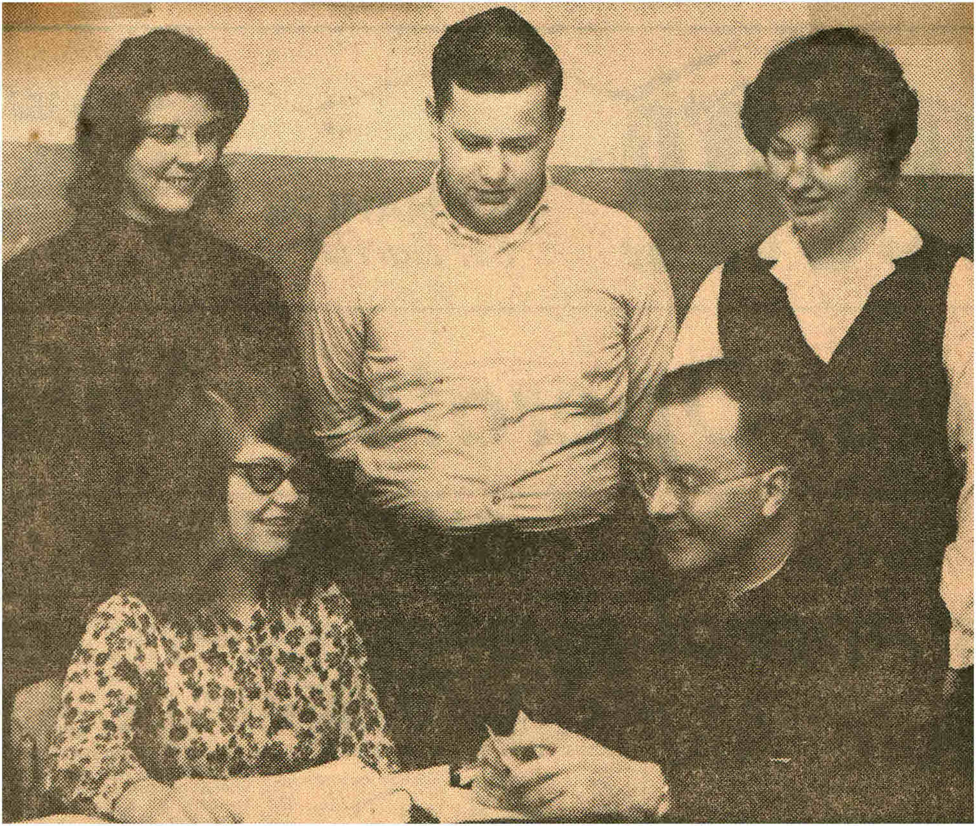

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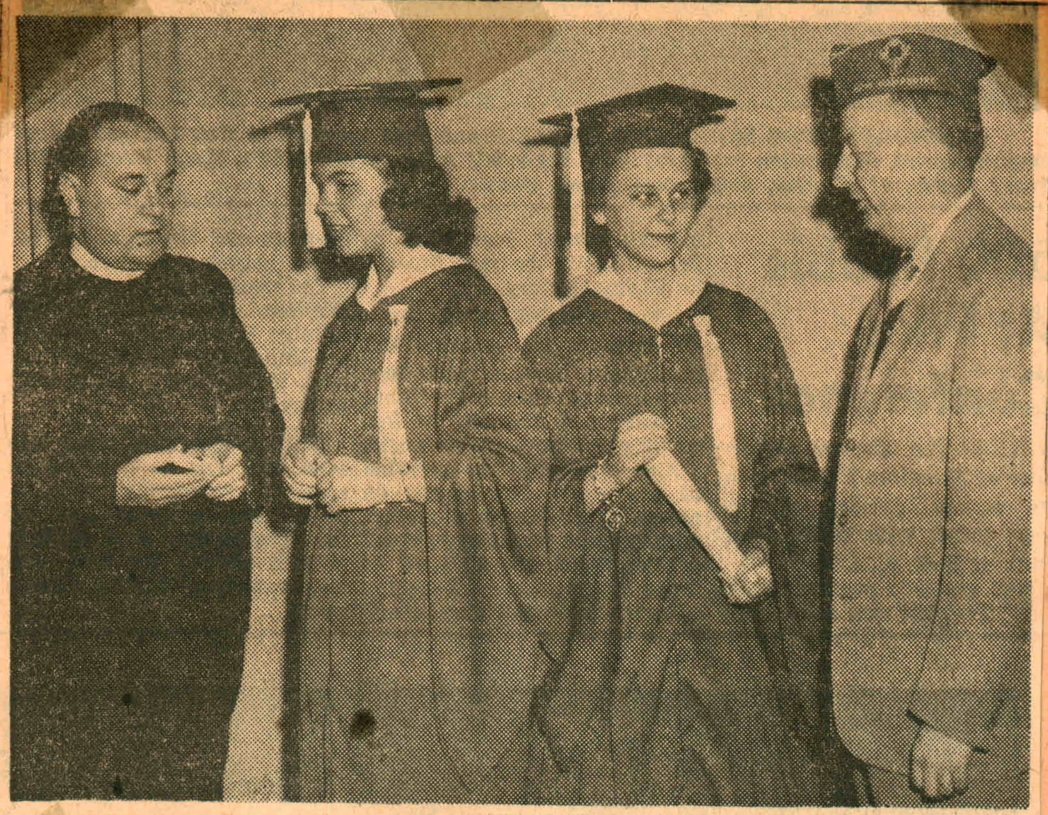

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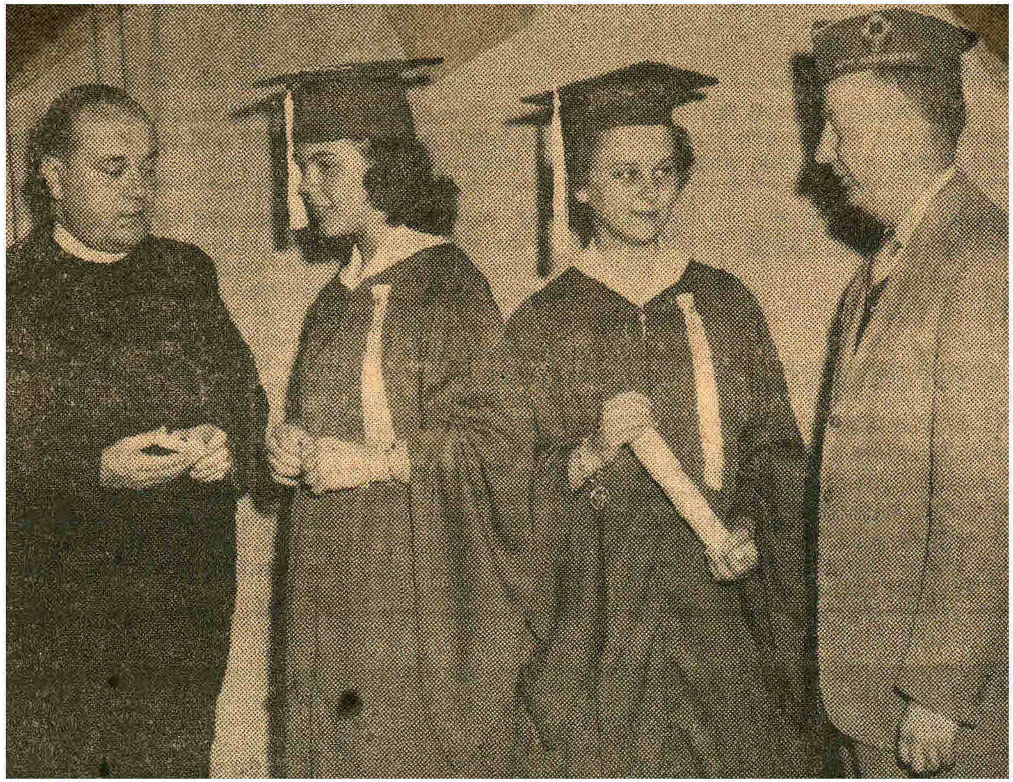

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Jeżeli nie możecie przybyć, a macie bilety zapłacone, proszę doręczyć i podpisać każdy bilet ażeby wam dano sposobność do wygrania "Door Prize" przez te cztery wieczory.

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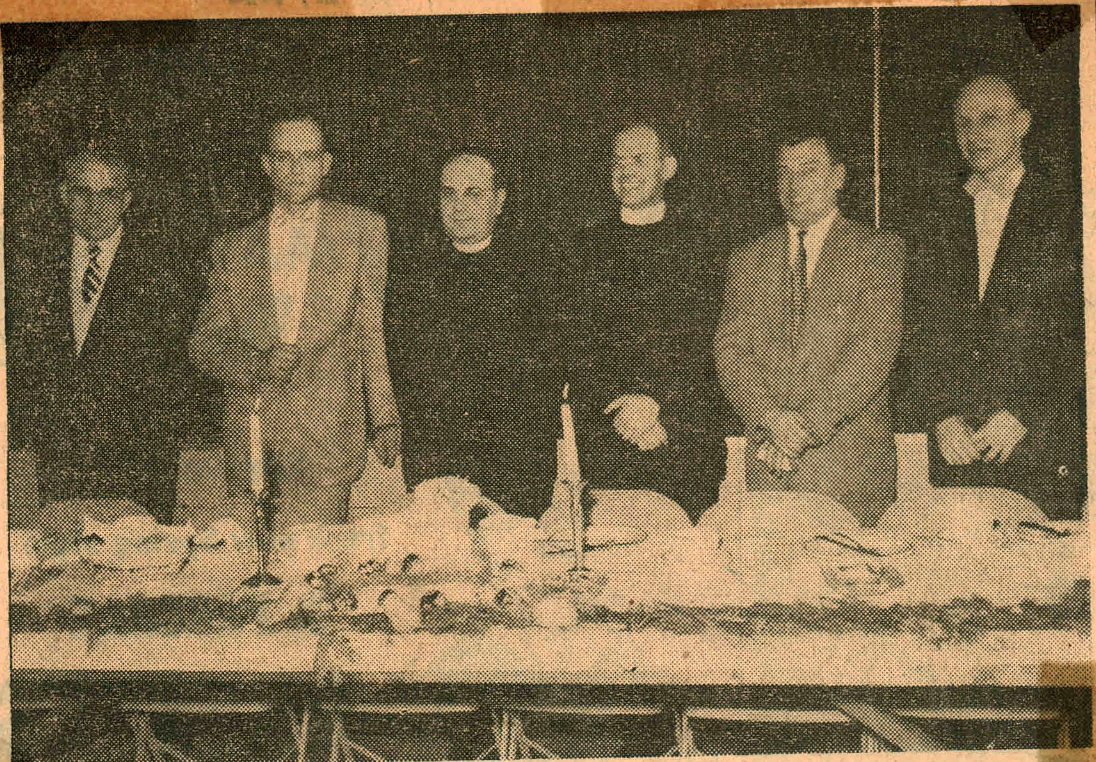

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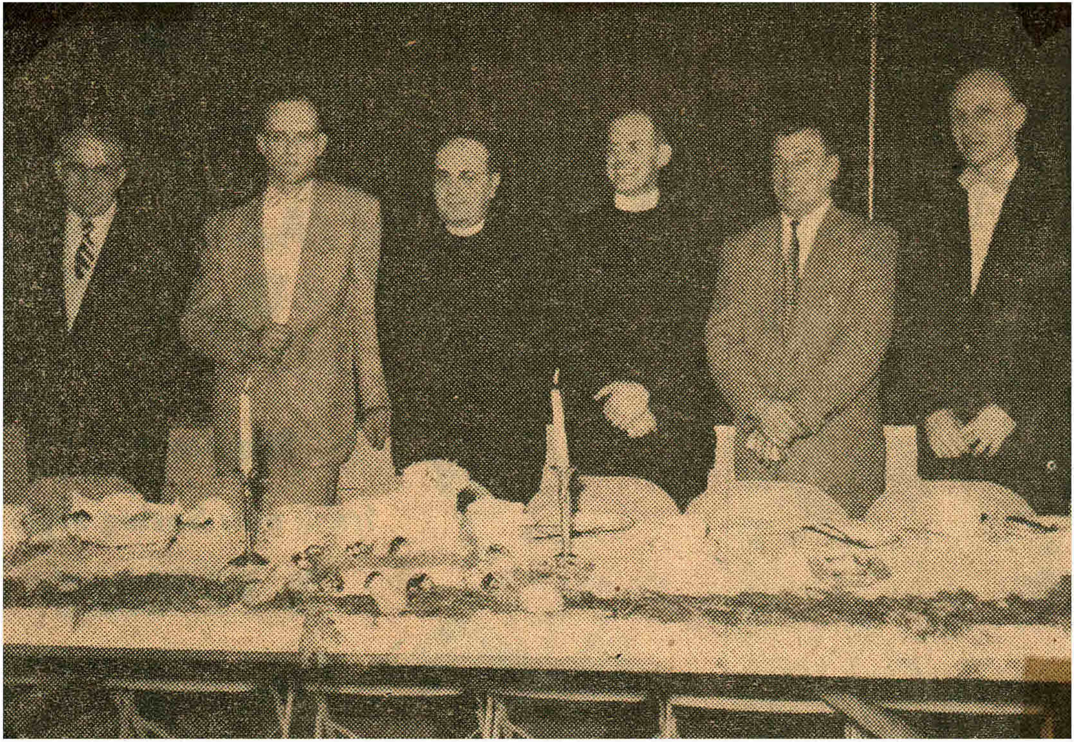

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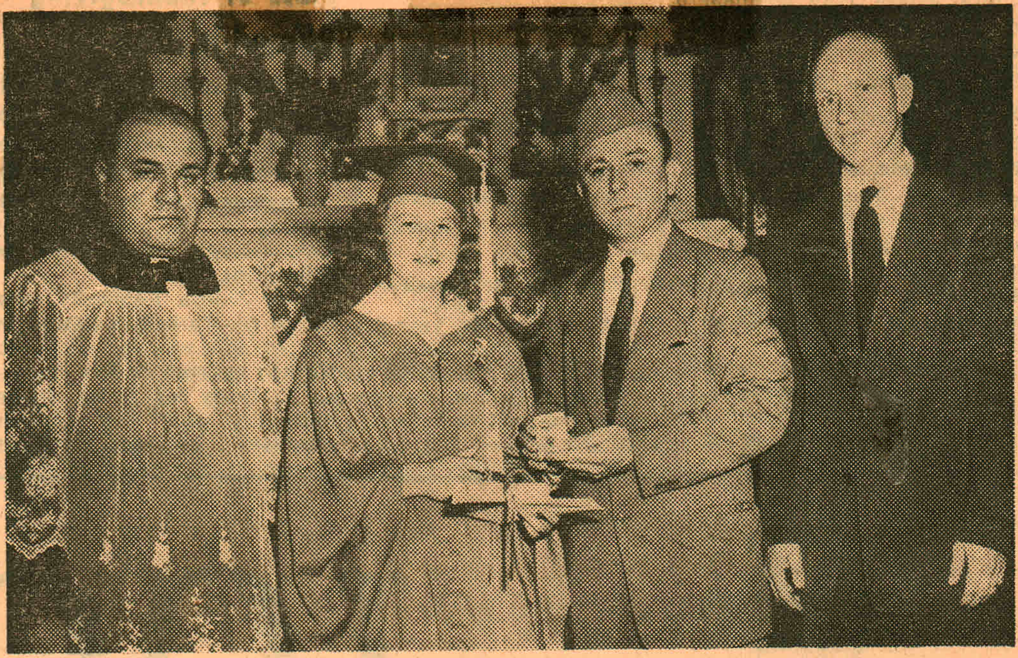

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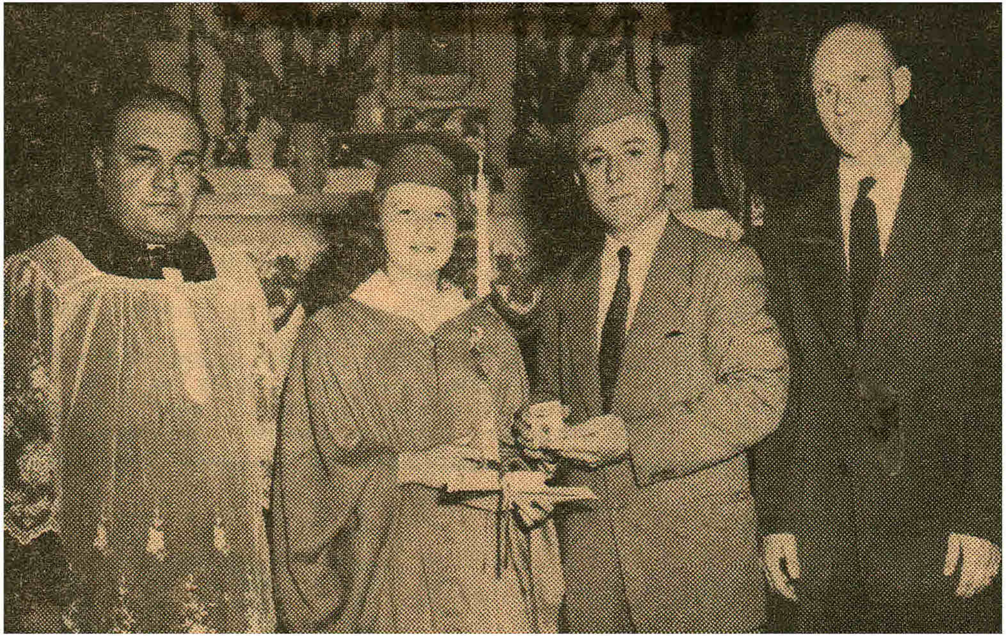

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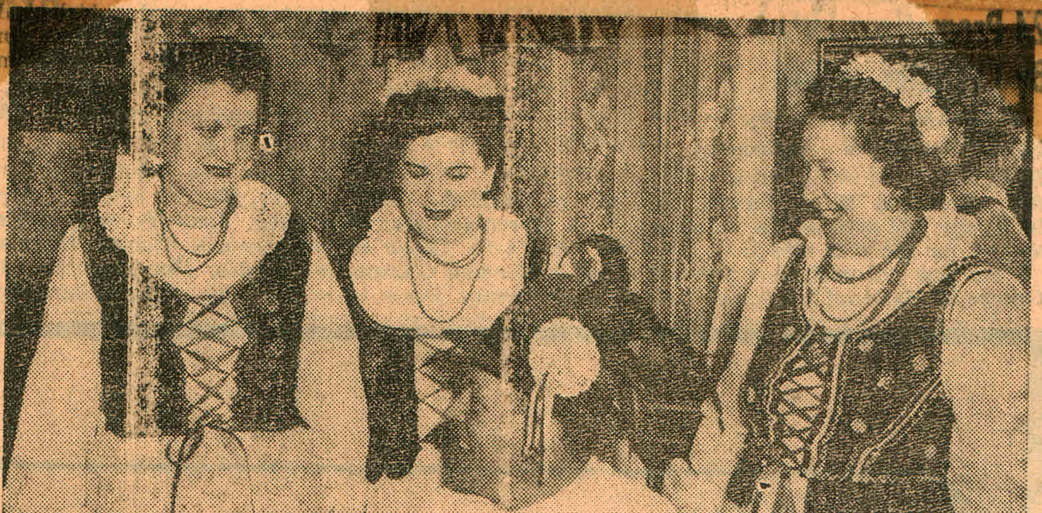

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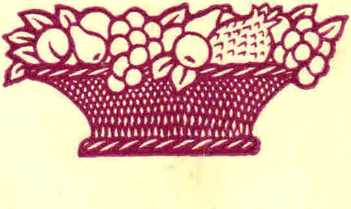

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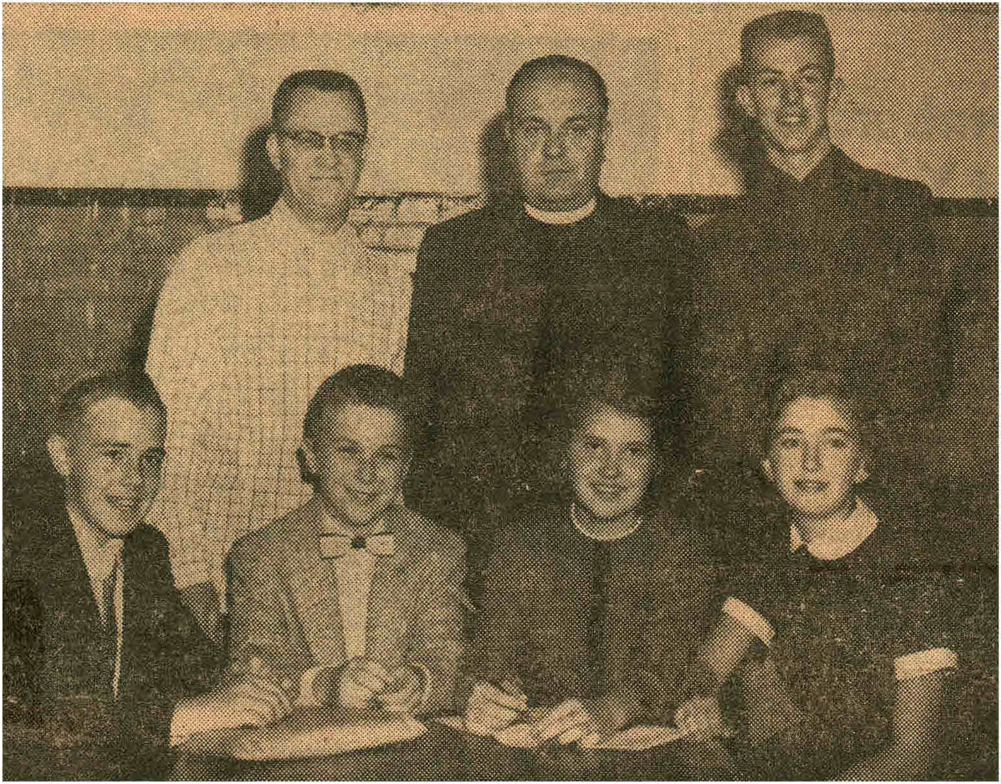

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Benefit Card Party Winners Announced

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Received Award

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Received Award

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A gold lifetime membership and Century club award was also presented to Ernest Prospere of Rev. Louis A. Ramsey Post No. 1624 of Manchester who signed up 100 members soon after Brown.

National Gold Cross and national medal of honor awards for outstanding membership recruiting programs were awarded to St. Hedwidge Post No. 1341 of Manchester and Infant Jesus Post No. 1700 of Nashua. The awards were presented by retiring National Comdr. Thomas Cuite of Brooklyn and Vice Comdr. Peter Hopkins of New York City to N. H. Dept. Comdr. Ralph Lavallee of Manchester, who will in turn present them to the respective posts at special ceremonies in the near future.

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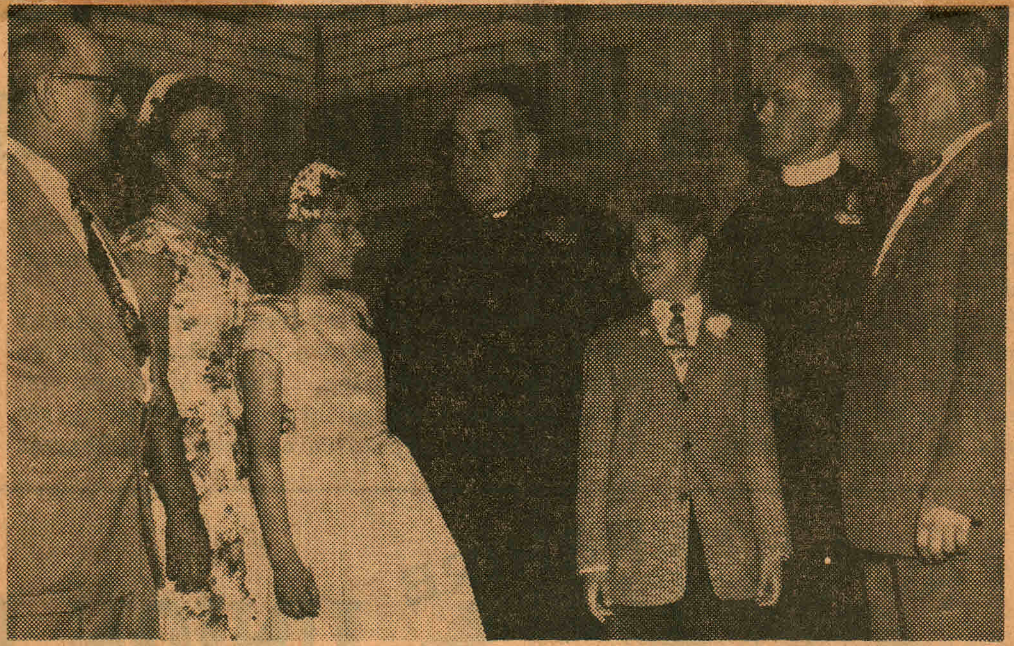

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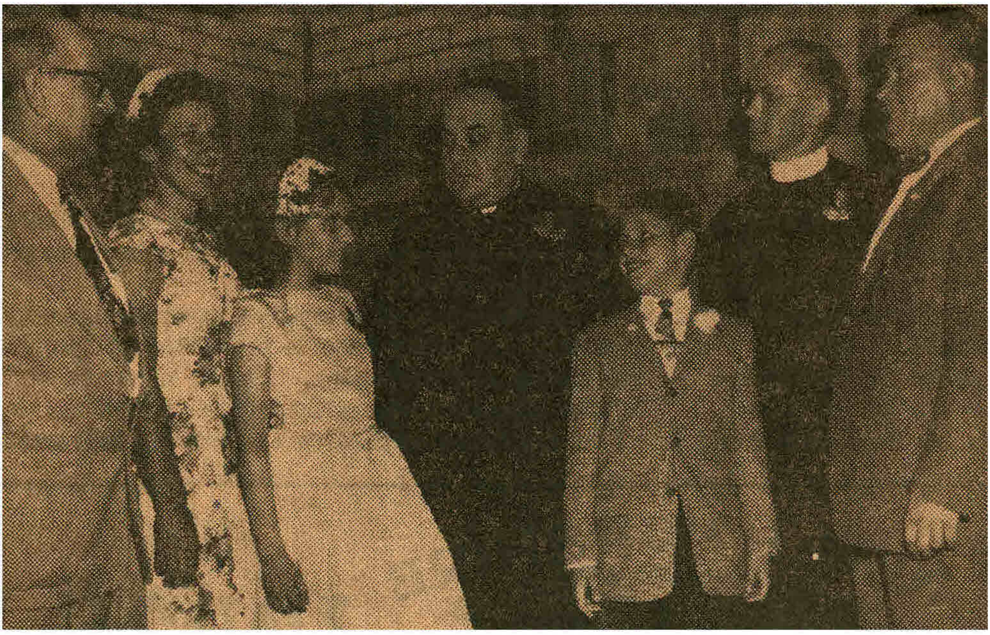

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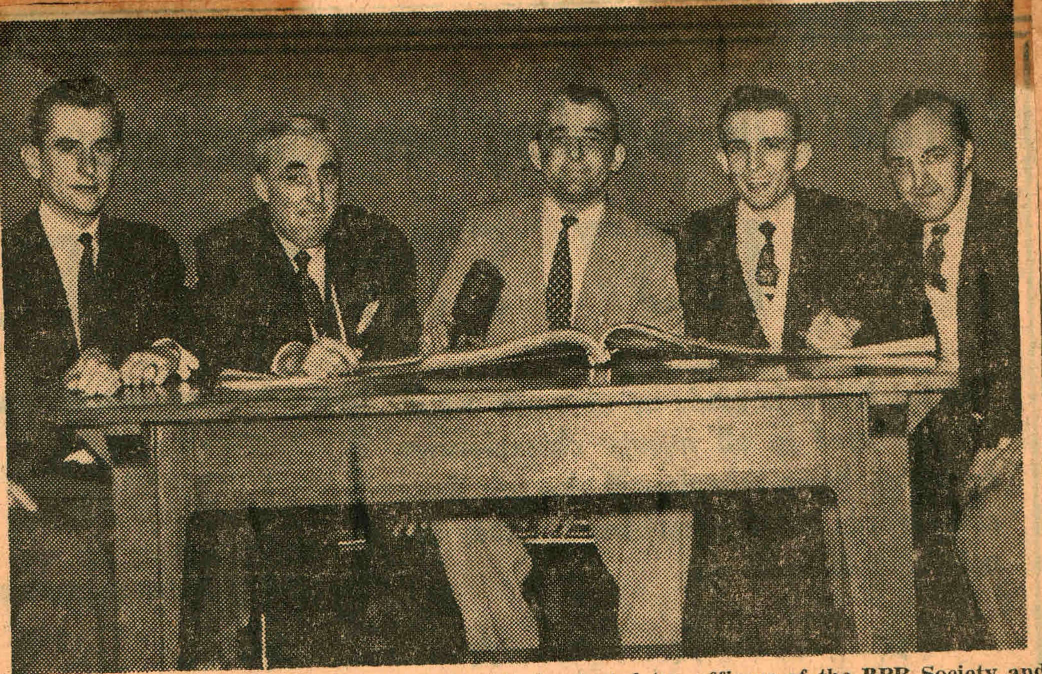

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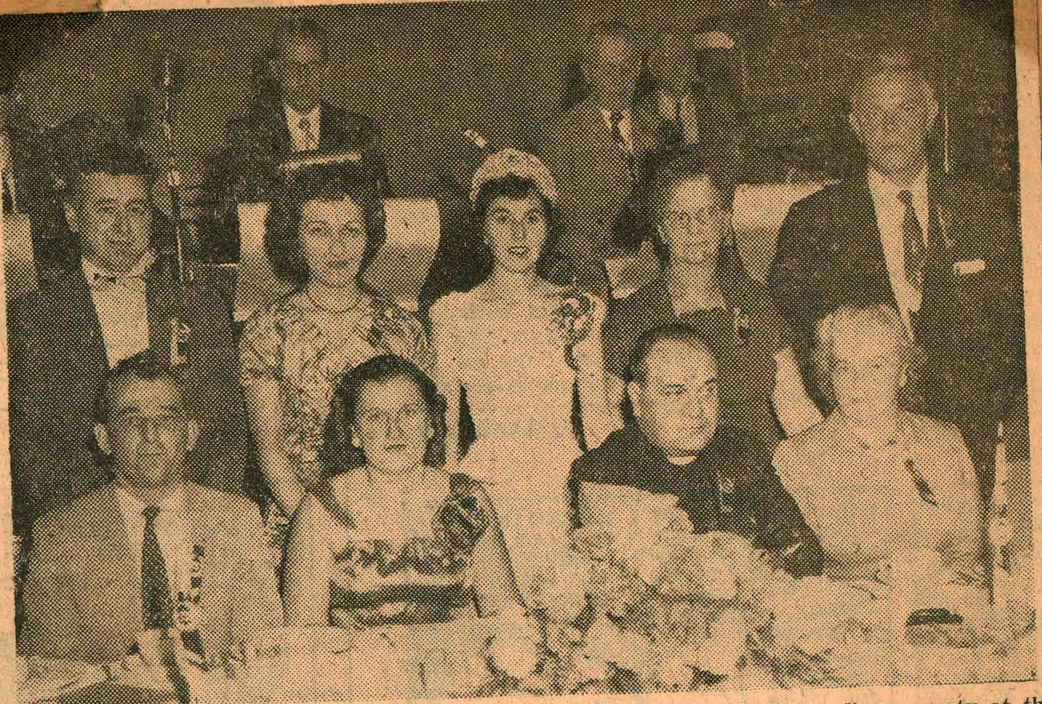

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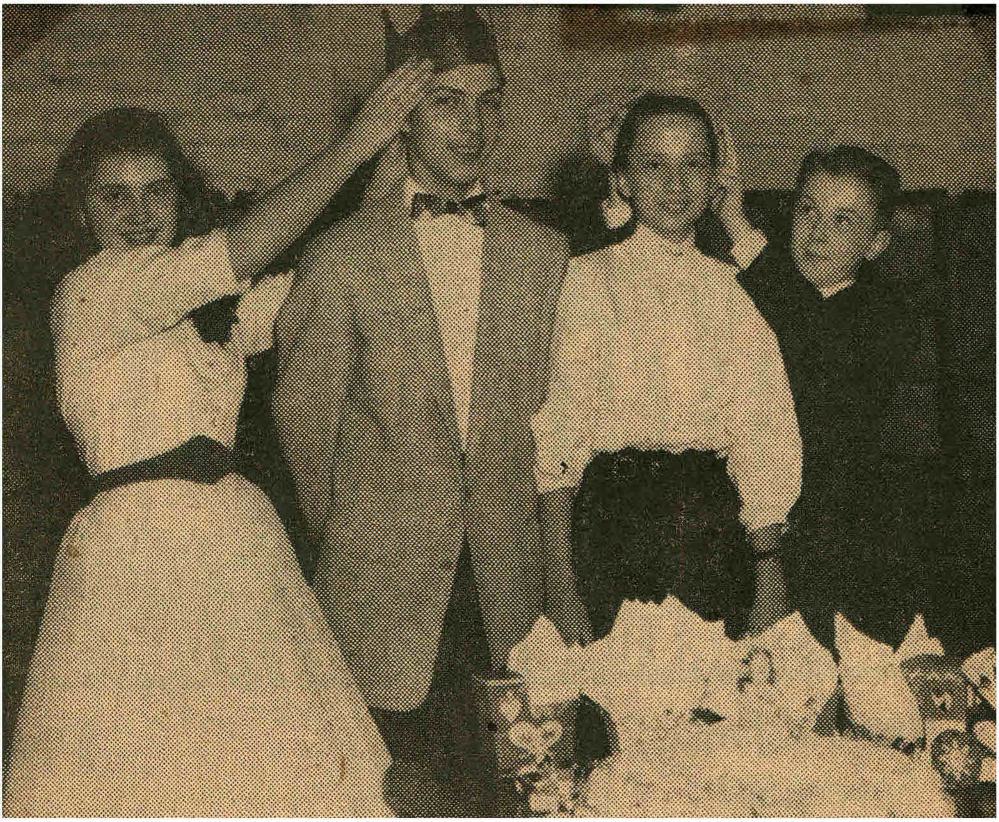

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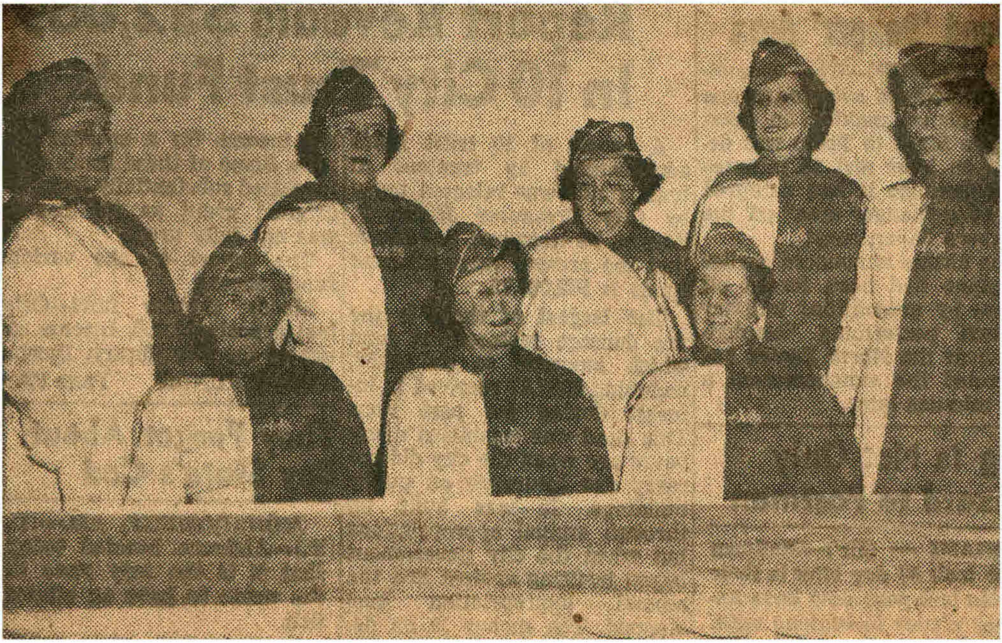

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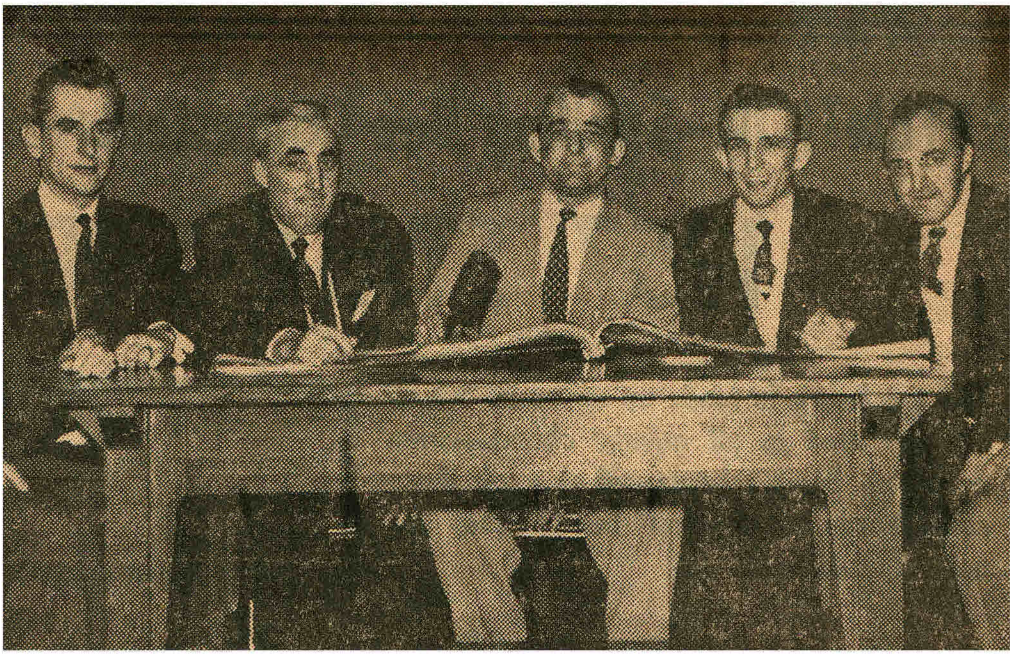

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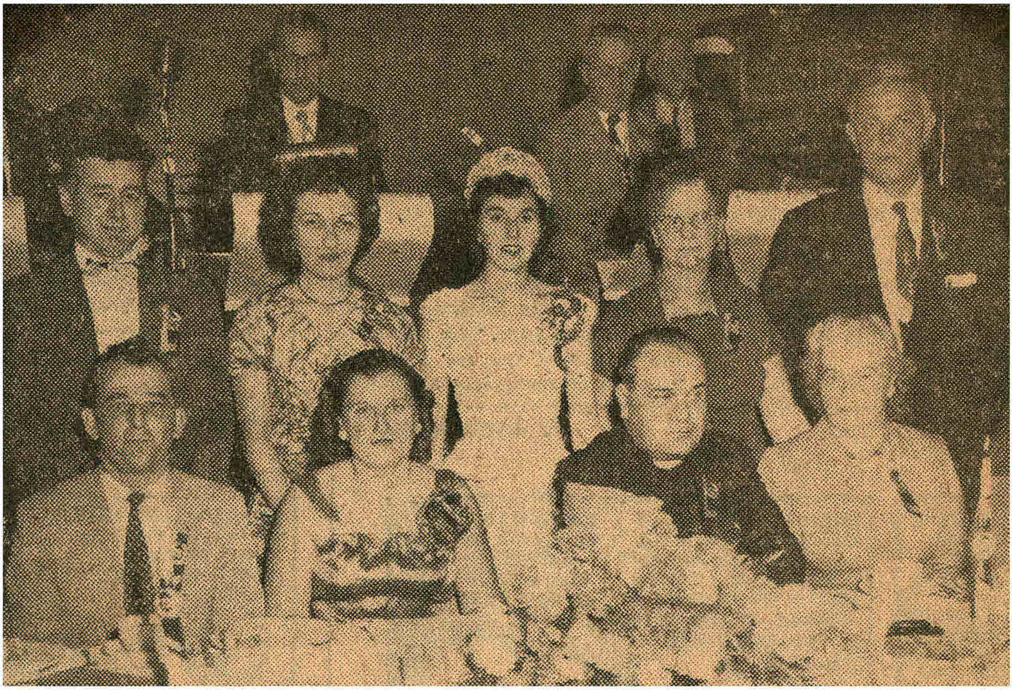

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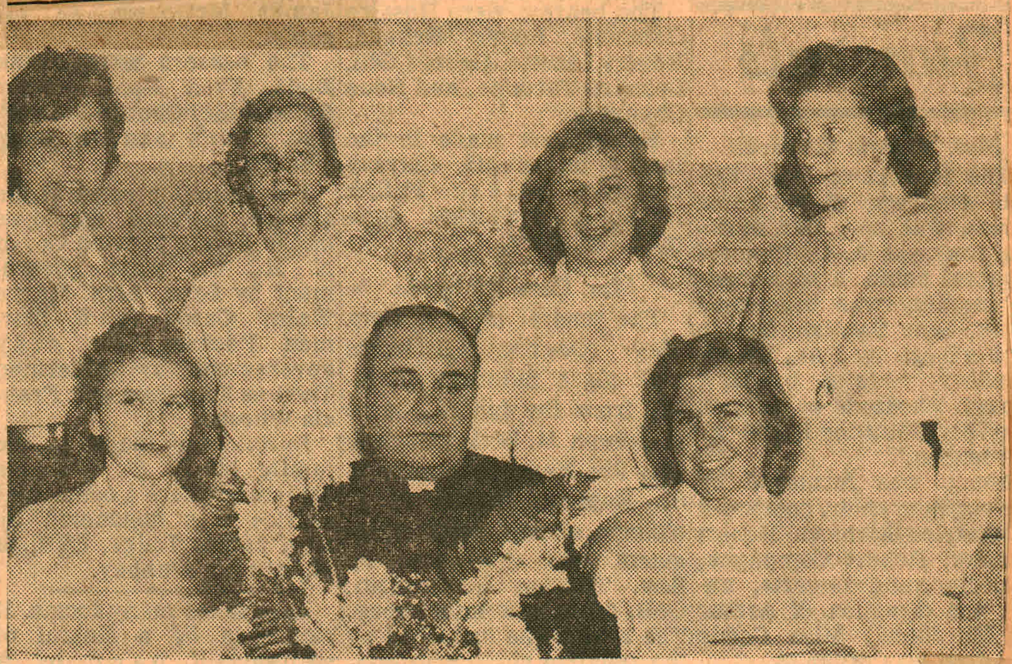

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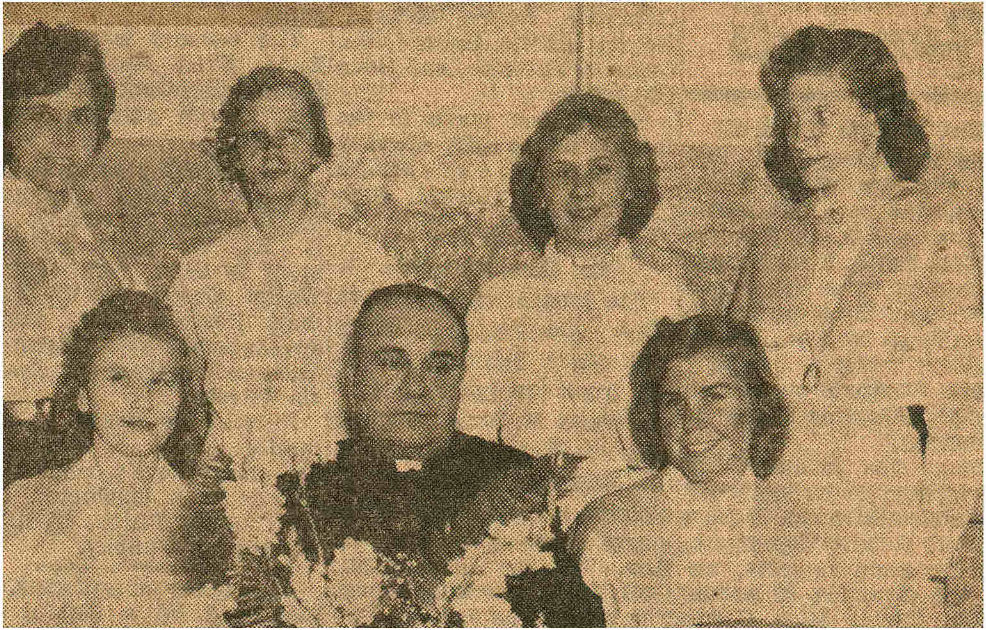

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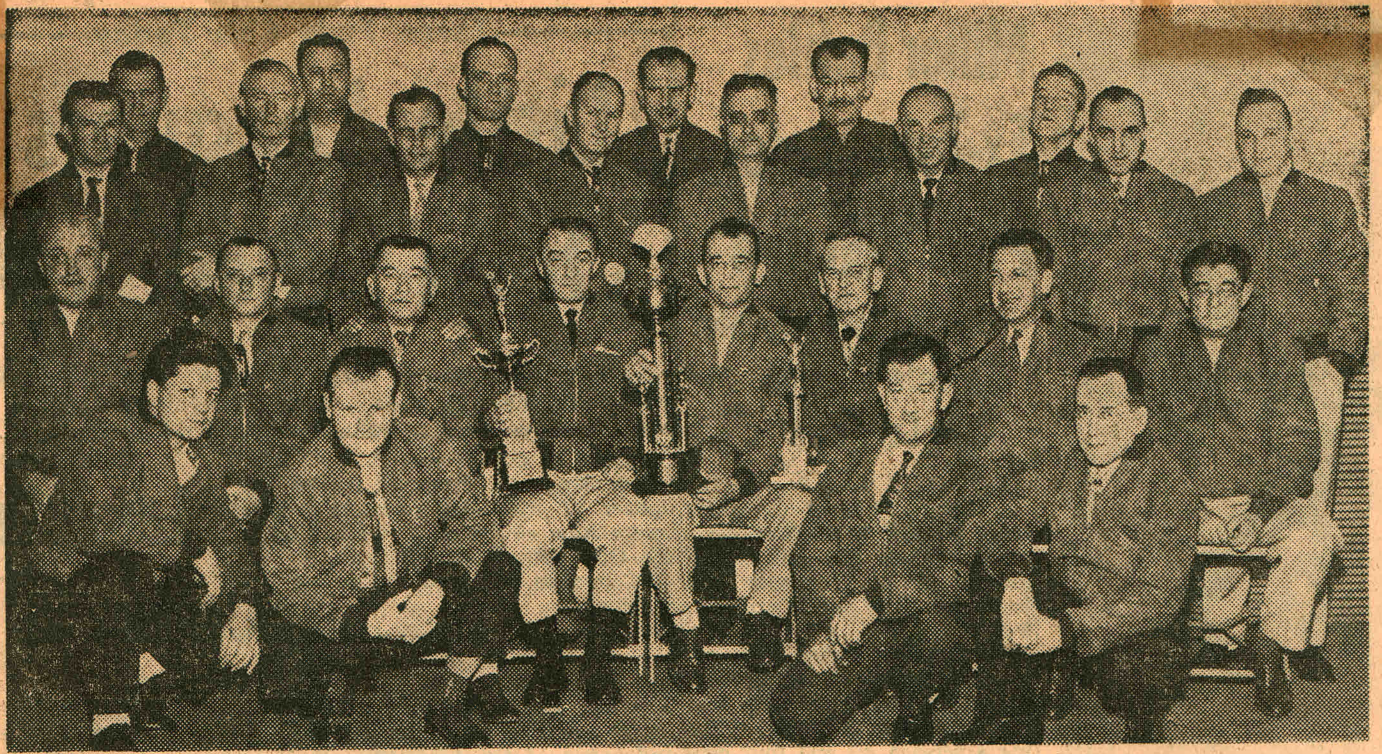

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Programs Planned

Polish Constitution Day Will Be Commemorated

Today is the 165th anniversary of the signing on May 3, 1791 of the Polish Constitution, one of the world's great documents of freedom like the Magna Charta, the Declaration of the Rights of Man and the American Declaration of Independence.

Sunday the local Polish-American colony will observe the anniversary of the bloodless Revolution in which Poland gained its freedom back in 1791, with a fervent hope that Poland will one day be liberated from the Communists and regain its freedom. Two special programs are planned.

Selection of a young Polish-American girl to rule as queen over all social functions for a year will highlight the ball Saturday evening and the Polish Constitution Day program planned for Sunday night in Pulaski Hall.

In the morning there will be a radio program under the direction of Walter Duda and Dr. Joseph Kondratowicz. Participating in this Constitution Day program will be Stanley Sobolewski, president of the Polish American Citizens club, Walter Klapsa of TTK and Mrs. Anna Ziobro of the PAC auxiliary.

Recall First Celebration

Manchester still remembers the big celebration of the day held here in 1953. The speaker on that occasion in the new Pulaski club hall was Prof. Jan Karski of Georgetown university, the famous Polish underground author and professor of sociology.

Ever since Poland was taken over by the self-styled Russian "liberators", U. S. representatives and senators have taken special notice of Polish Constitution Day. Last year not less than 77 of them took the floor to speak on behalf of the United States' first rally, Poland, and its inspiritional Constitution. They also repudiated the infamous Yalta agreement of 1943.

Today the Congress is again taking note of the day. Special prayers were said today by Father Walerian S. Karch of Hobart, Ind., secretary-general of the Polish-American Congress in America.

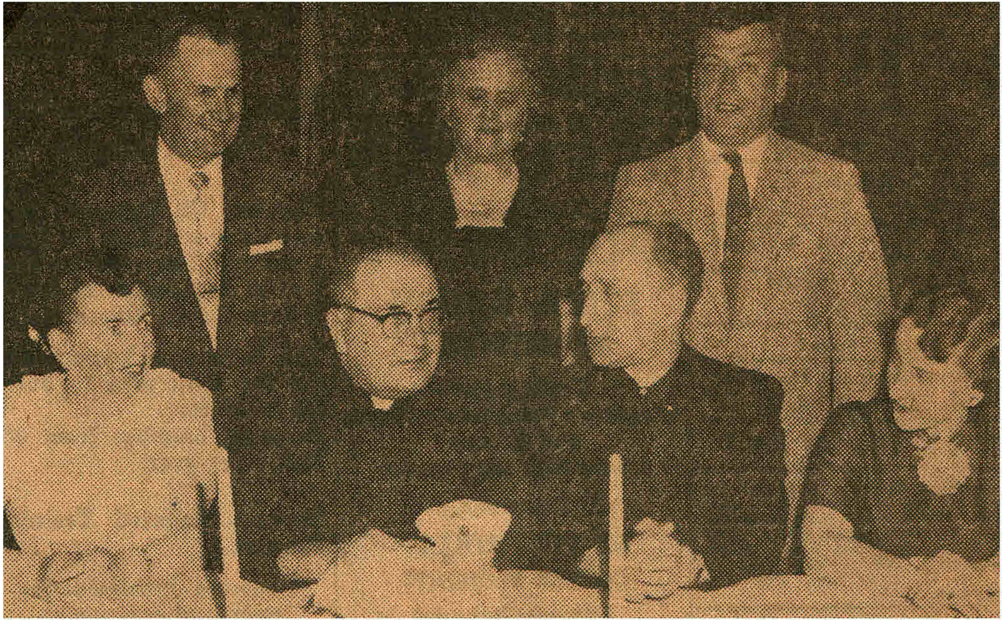
The Constitution of May 3, 1791 embodied the principle of the sovereignty of the nation, stating "all power in civil society is derived from the will of the people." It also proclaimed the division of authority into three separate and equal authorities—the legislative, executive and judicial.

Partition of Poland

Poland had been partitioned in 1772 when, with one third of her territory wrested from her by her powerful nighbors —Russia, Prussia and Austria —she was still the largest state in Europe. When 19 years later the Diet of Poland proceeded to pass a constitution recognizing the equality of all men, extending liberty to all, it was more than Catherine the Great could stand. Her Russian armies invaded Poland.

Once again in 1793 the country was partitioned and it was not until 1918 that she again resumed her place among the nations of the world. Pres. Woodrow Wilson, whose 100th birthday anniversary is being observed, insisted in his famous 13-point program that there must be a united and independent Poland with free access to the oceans of the world.

Hitler seized the Polish corridor in World War II and the Russians in the guise of "liberators" overran the country. For the second time since the great democratic constitution was framed Poland is under yoke of a foreign invader but the slogan of free Poles everywhere is "Jescze Polska Niezginela"—Poland is Not Lost Yet.



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St. Casimir PTG Sponsors Whist

The second in a series of whist parties, sponsored by St. Casimir Parent-Teacher Guild was held at the school hall.

There were 12 tables in play. Winners in the men's division were Joseph Fudula, first; Stanley Gorski, second and James Swanson and Thomas McCabe, consolation prizes.

Winners in the women's division were Miss Catherine Maslanka, first prize; Mrs. Ora Magnuson, second prize and Miss Tillie Bykowski, consolation.

Winners at the first party in the series were Walter Gruczka, Jacenty Borun, Stanley Kaminski, Victoria Piecuch, Mrs. Anna Mailhot and Mrs. Bernadette Hunkins.

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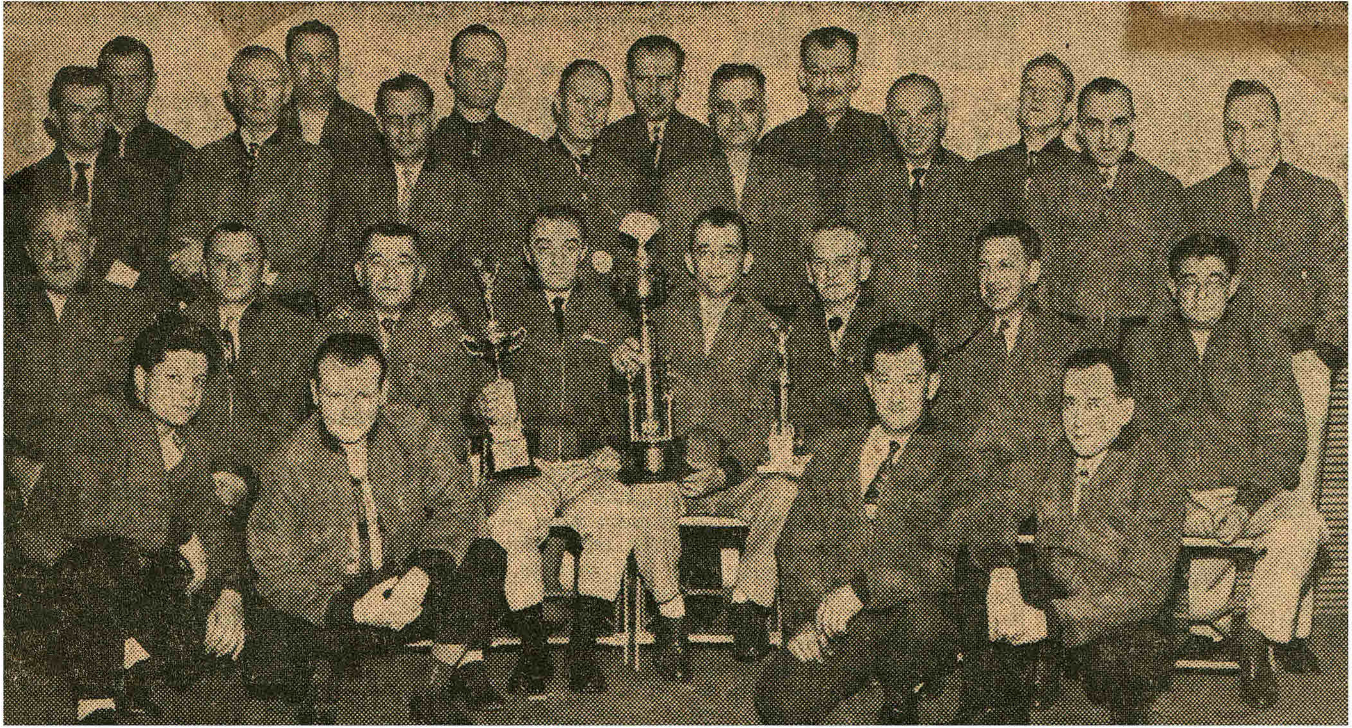

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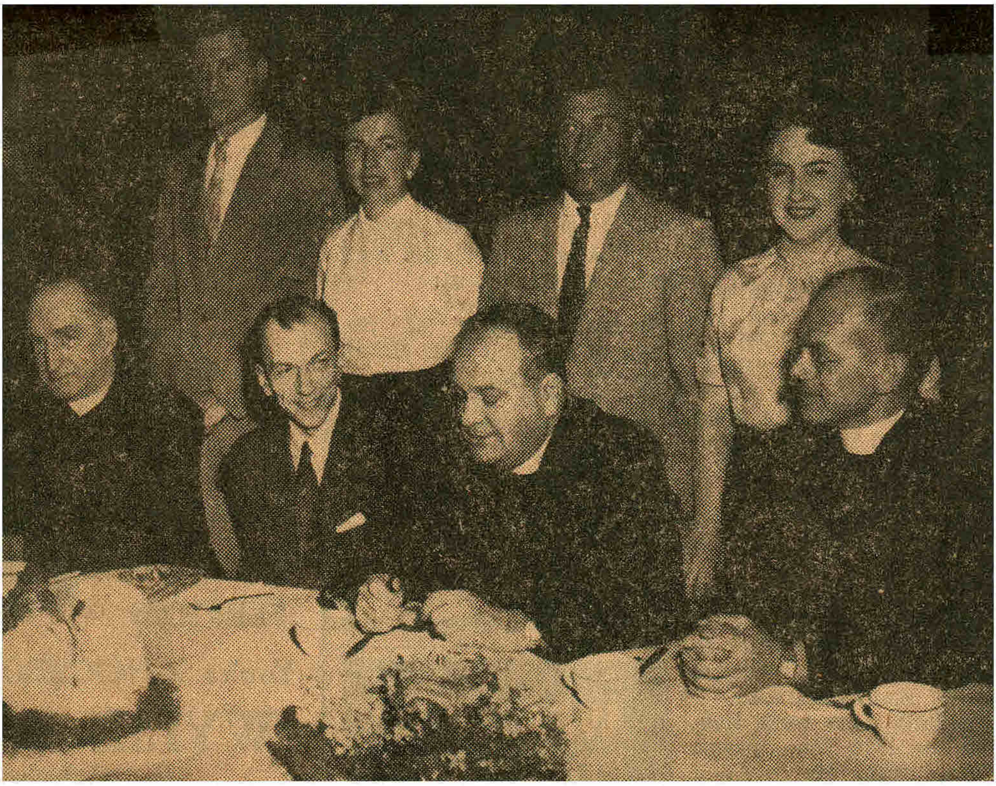

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Sisters of Charity — Sisters Brunette, Denise, Gamelin, Harnois, Roux, St. Adrian, St. Marie Bernard, St. Marie Madeleine and Vallieres.

Presentation of Mary—Sisters Angele Marie, Bernadette-Marie, Marie-du-Temple, M. Henriette du Sacre Couer, M. Jean du St. Sacrament, M. Jeanne-Louise, M. Jeanne Pauline, M. St. Louise de France, M. St. Laura, M. Louis Albert, M. St. Nathalie, M. Paul-Emile, M. St. Agnes d'Assissi, M. St. Croix-de-Jesus, St. Marie Elizabeth, St. Marie-de-la-Presentation, St. Marie Gerard, St. Marie Georges and M. St. Yolande.

Religious of Jesus and Mary—Mother St. Alexina, Mother St. Charles-Marie and Mother M. de la Purification.

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Whist Series Starts Monday

At a special meeting of St. Hedwig Building committee, plans were concluded for a four-week whist party series, for the new church building fund. Parties will be held on Monday evenings, from March 11 to April 11 at 7:45 p. m. at the school hall. Door prizes will be awarded and refreshments served.

Plans and preparations were also made for the "Swieconka" which will be held at the Pulaski hall on April 14, at 5:00 o'clock. It will also benefit the building fund.

Gertrude Walas and Stella Gorski have been selected to prepare this "Swieconka."

List Whist Winners

Winners at the whist party benefiting the Felician Sisters, held at St. Casimir school where they teach, were Agnes Clark, Ann Kosmatka, Stella Beauleu, E. Olesniewicz, Nick Downie, Robert Beauleu and Stanley Gorski.

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The graduating class was hostess. Mothers of members assisted.

TENTH ANNIVERSARY DANCE of St. Hedwige Post 1341, Catholic War Veterans, and its auxiliary will be a Washington's Birthday ball. Members of the dance committee are pictured above planning the affair to be held Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the Pulaski club hall. Seated, left to right, Mrs. Anna Cyra, auxiliary president; Comdr. Frank Albrewczynski; Eugene Buczynski, dance chairman; Rev. Alfred Daniszewski, chaplain, and Josephine McGrail, first vice chairman. Standing are John Malik (left), adjutant, and Francis Gorski, second vice commander. (Staff Photo)

St. Hedwig Group Conducts Party

The third card party in a series was held at the School hall by St. Hedwig Building Fund committee. The following were among the winners for the evening: men's division, first, John Walas; second, Stanley Kaminski; third, Joseph Fudala. Women's division, first, Helen Walas; second, Anne Banks; third, Phyllis Albrewczynski.

Door prize was awarded to Mary Betley.

Refreshments were served by Genevieve McLoskey and Gertrude Walas.

The fourth and final party in the series will be held on Friday, at 7:45, at the school hall.

Fourth Card Party Ends Church Series

Winners at the final card party for St. Hedwig Building fund at the School hall were Stella Gorski, Karolina Lesniak, Hessey Zlotek, Nicholas Downie, Joseph Fudala and John Walas. Walter Gruczka received the door prize.

The Christmas "Wigilia" was scheduled during the evening, for December 23.

St. Hedwig Group Holds Card Social

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Weekly winners were Mrs. Szopa, Nora Smith and Helen Komisarek in the women's group, and Stanley Gorski, Mr. Kozlowski and Stanley Kaminski in the men's division.

Earle Felch, Sr., and Nicholas Downie were door prize winners.

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List Benefit Card Party Winners

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Final Church Building Fund Benefit Is Monday

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There were 15 tables in play at the last party.

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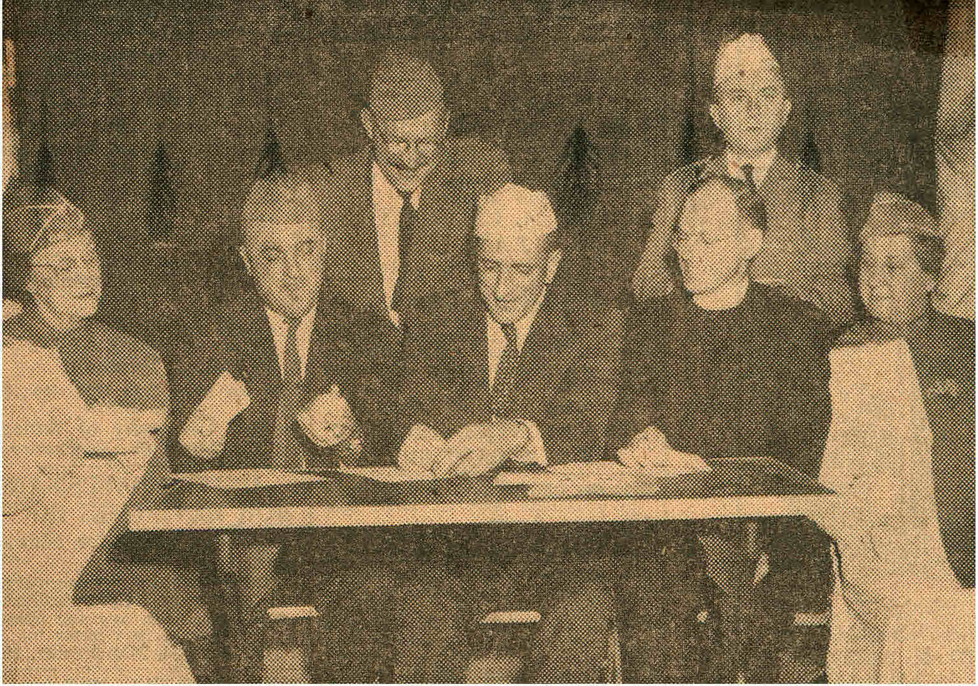

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Whist Series Starts Monday

At a special meeting of St. Hedwig Building committee, plans were concluded for a four-week whist party series, for the new church building fund. Parties will be held on Monday evenings, from March 11 to April 11 at 7:45 p. m. at the school hall. Door prizes will be awarded and refreshments served.

Plans and preparations were also made for the "Swieconka" which will be held at the Pulaski hall on April 14, at 5:00 o'clock. It will also benefit the building fund.

Gertrude Walas and Stella Gorski have been selected to prepare this "Swieconka."

St. Hedwig Group Holds Card Social

Series winners at a card social of St. Hedwig building committee at the school hall were Mary Felch, Helen Komisarek and Kay Szopa in the women's group, and Boleslaw Kozlowski, Daniel O'Brien and Frederick Kozlowski in the men's division.

Weekly winners were Mrs. Szopa, Nora Smith and Helen Komisarek in the women's group, and Stanley Gorski, Mr. Kozlowski and Stanley Kaminski in the men's division.

Earle Felch, Sr., and Nicholas Downie were door prize winners.

Refreshments were served by the committee assisted by Genevieve McLoskey and Gertrude Walas.

Sixteen Tables in Play At Benefit Card Party

Sixteen tables were in play at a recent card party held by St. Hedwige Building committee. Among the winners were Mickey Stavrou, first; Nickolas Downie, second; Stanley Komisarek, third.

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Michael Kijowski won the door prize.

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List Whist Winners

Winners at the whist party benefiting the Felician Sisters, held at St. Casimir school where they teach, were Agnes Clark, Ann Kosmatka, Stella Beauleu, E. Olesniewicz, Nick Downie, Robert Beauleu and Stanley Gorski.

Special prizes went to Stanley Komisarek, Angie Jaskinska, Victor Kosmatka and Cornelius Cronin, and door prizes to Karolina Lesmiak and Nora Smith.

The graduating class was hostess. Mothers of members assisted.

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Winners at a card party, held at the school hall, and sponsored by St. Hedwig's building committee for the new church, were men's division, Stanley Gorski, Walter Gruczka and Andrew Felch; women's division, Ann Banks, Helen Komisarek, and Mary Stefanik.

Door prize was awarded to Stella Mroczkowski.

Refreshments were served by Genevieve McLoskey and Gertrude Walas assisted by a committee.

Fourth Card Party Ends Church Series

Winners at the final card party for St. Hedwig Building fund at the School hall were Stella Gorski, Karolina Lesniak, Hessey Zlotek, Nicholas Downie, Joseph Fudala and John Walas. Walter Gruczka received the door prize.

The Christmas "Wigilia" was scheduled during the evening, for December 23.

St. Hedwig Group Conducts Party

The third card party in a series was held at the School hall by St. Hedwig Building Fund committee. The following were among the winners for the evening: men's division, first, John Walas; second, Stanley Kaminski; third, Joseph Fudala. Women's division, first, Helen Walas; second, Anne Banks; third, Phyllis Albrewczynski.

Door prize was awarded to Mary Betley.

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The fourth and final party in the series will be held on Friday, at 7:45, at the school hall.

Announce Winners At Card Party At School Hall

The second in a series of weekly card parties sponsored by the Building Fund of St. Hedwige church was held at the school hall Friday evening.

Among the prize winners were men's division: first, Victor Kosmatka; second, Paul Dudziak; third, Boleslaw Kozlowski. Women's division: first, Stella Gorski; second, S. Wadas; third, Helen Blotek. Jan Kalinski was awarded the door prize for the evening.

Refreshments were served by Genevieve McLoskey and Gertrude Walas, assisted by the committeemen.

The third party in the series is scheduled for Friday evening, January 18, at 7:30, at the school hall, corner Merrimack and Union streets.

Whist Series To Begin Monday at St. Hedwig

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Agnes Clarke awarded the door prize and Genevieve McLoskey and Gertrude Walas served refreshments.

Final Church Building Fund Benefit Is Monday

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There were 15 tables in play at the last party.

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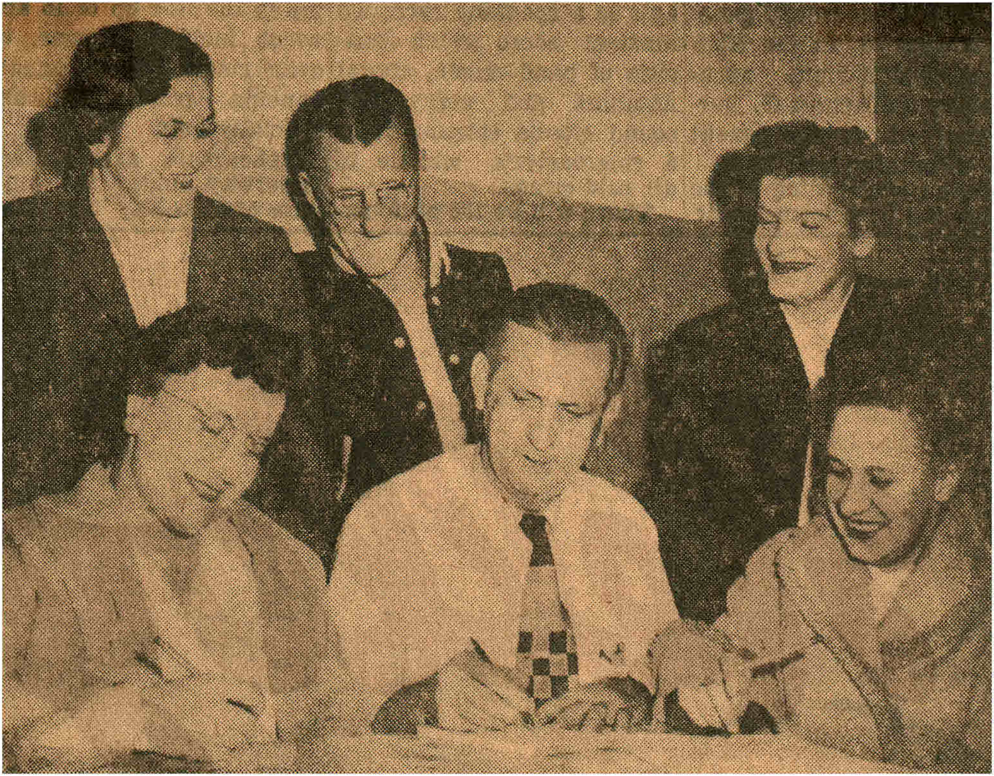

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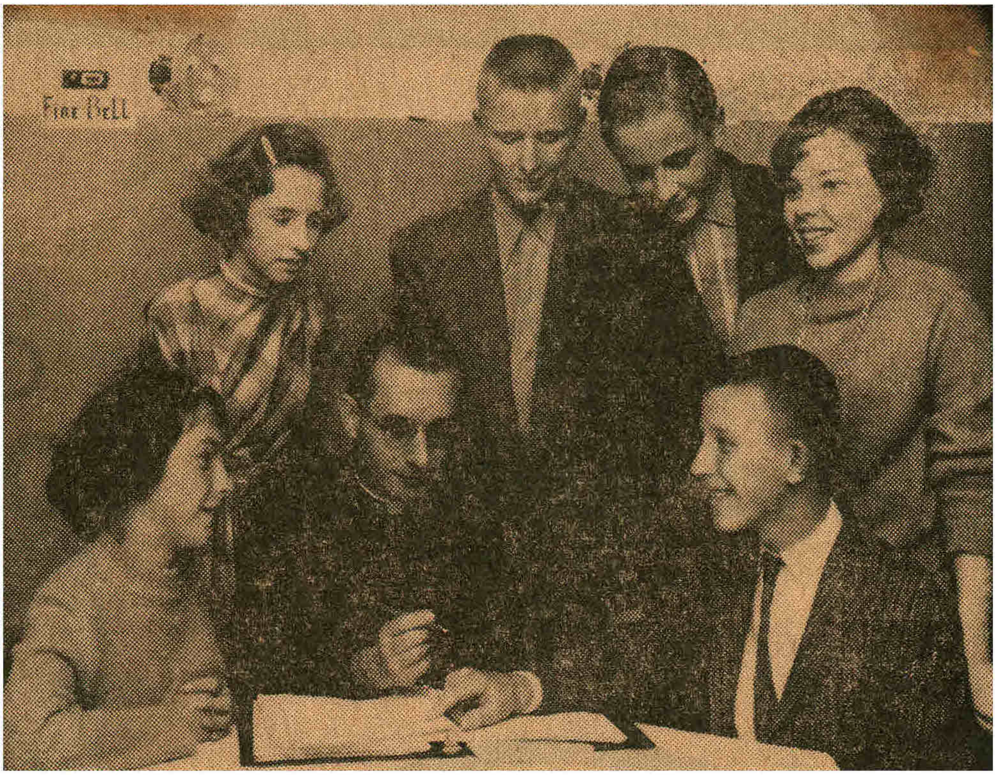

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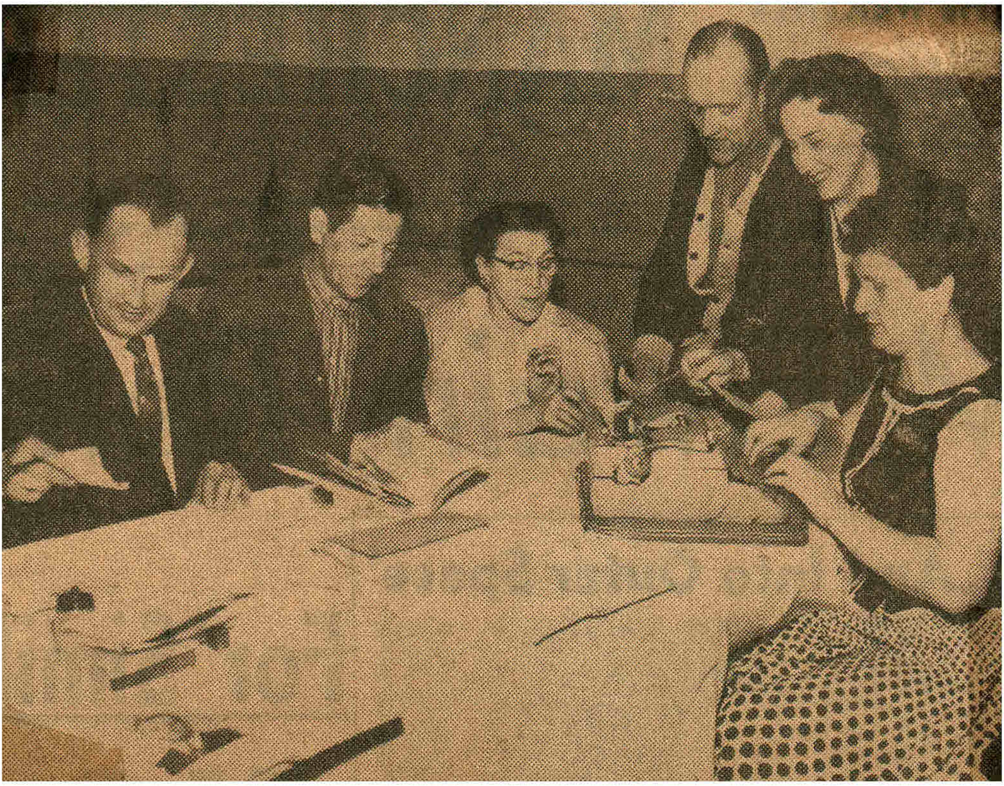

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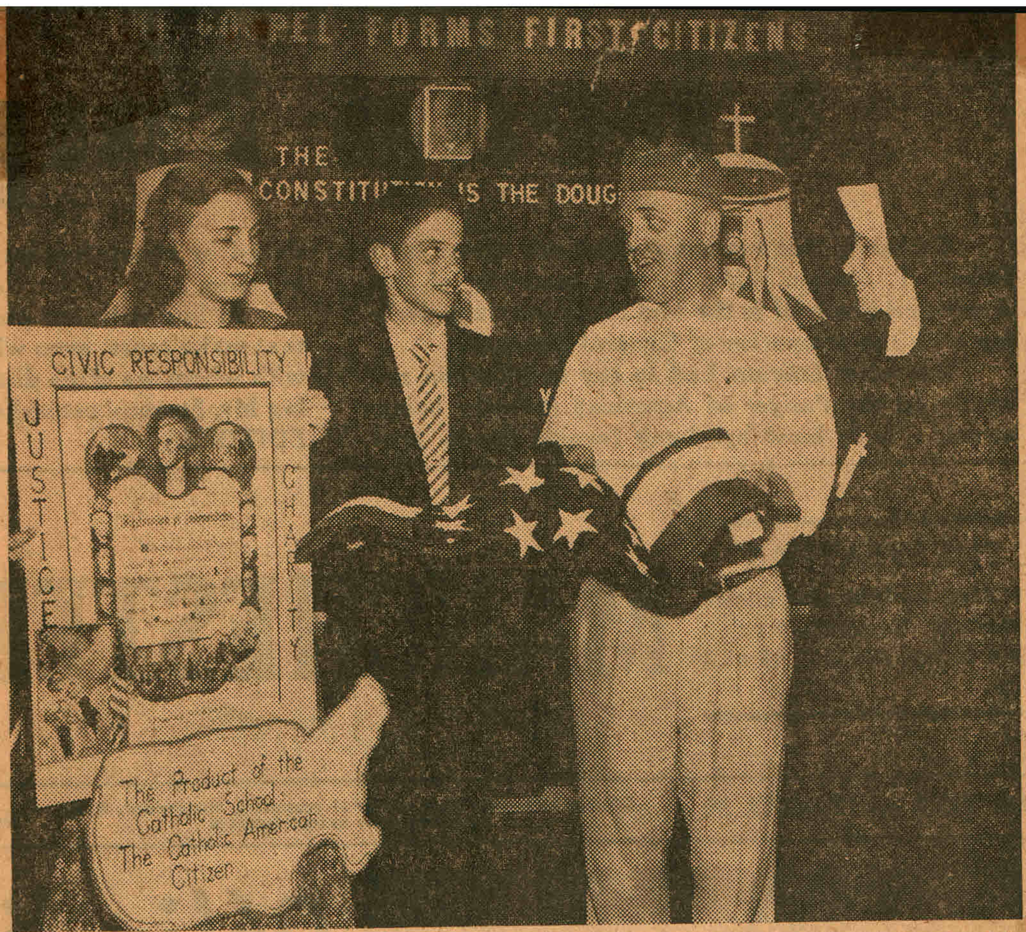

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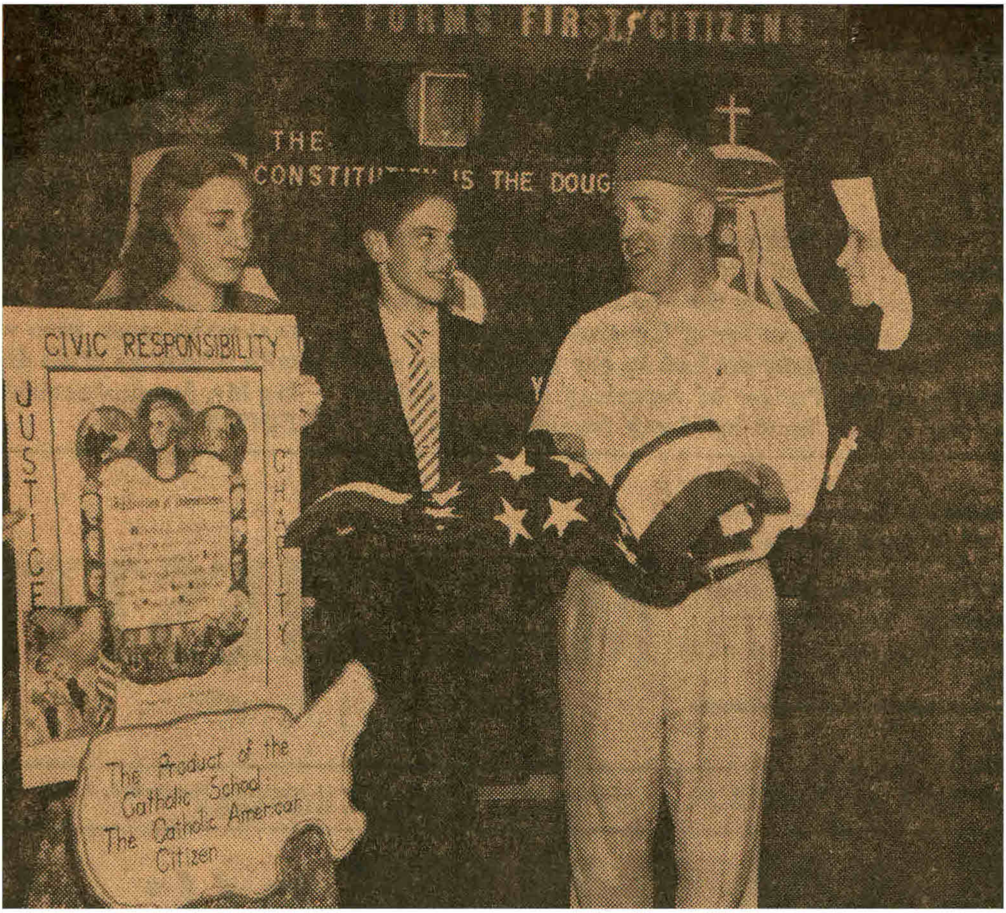

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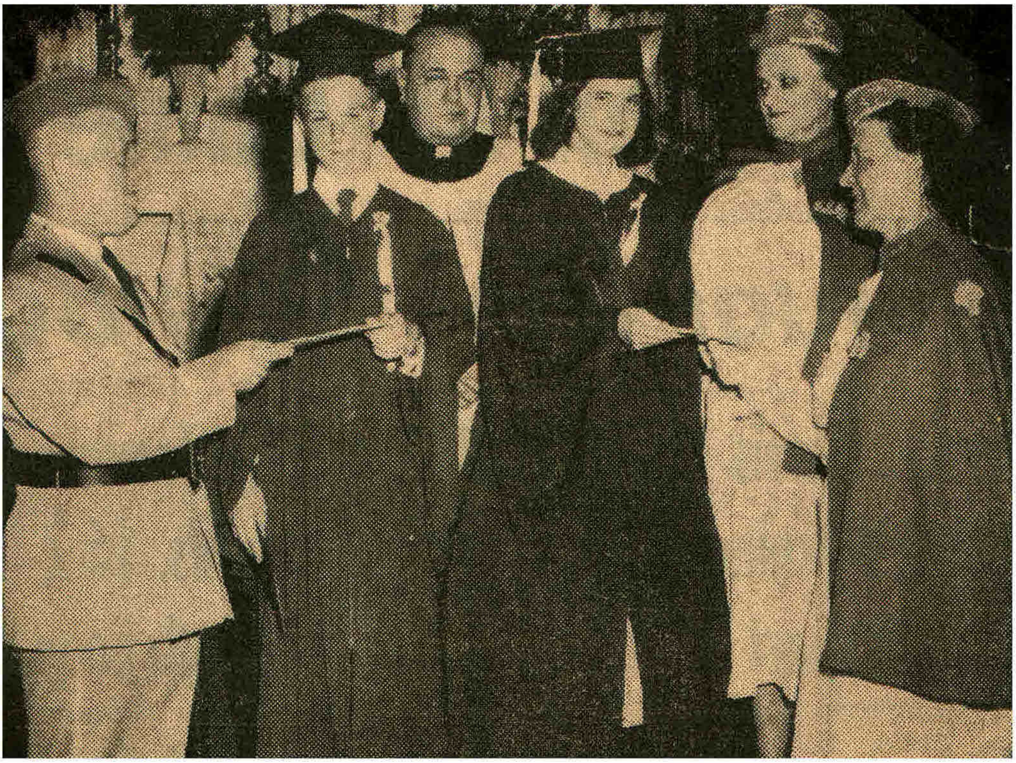

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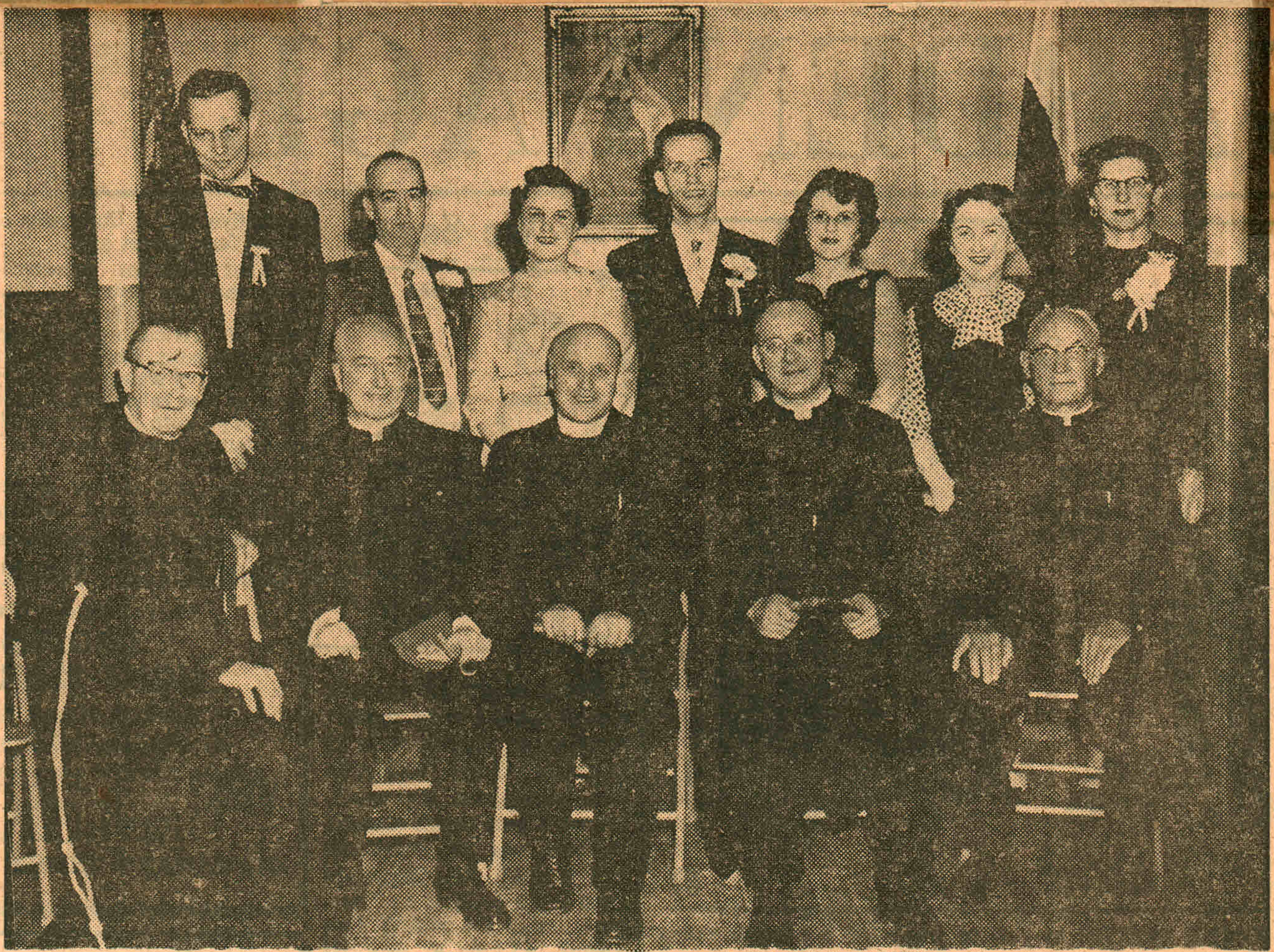

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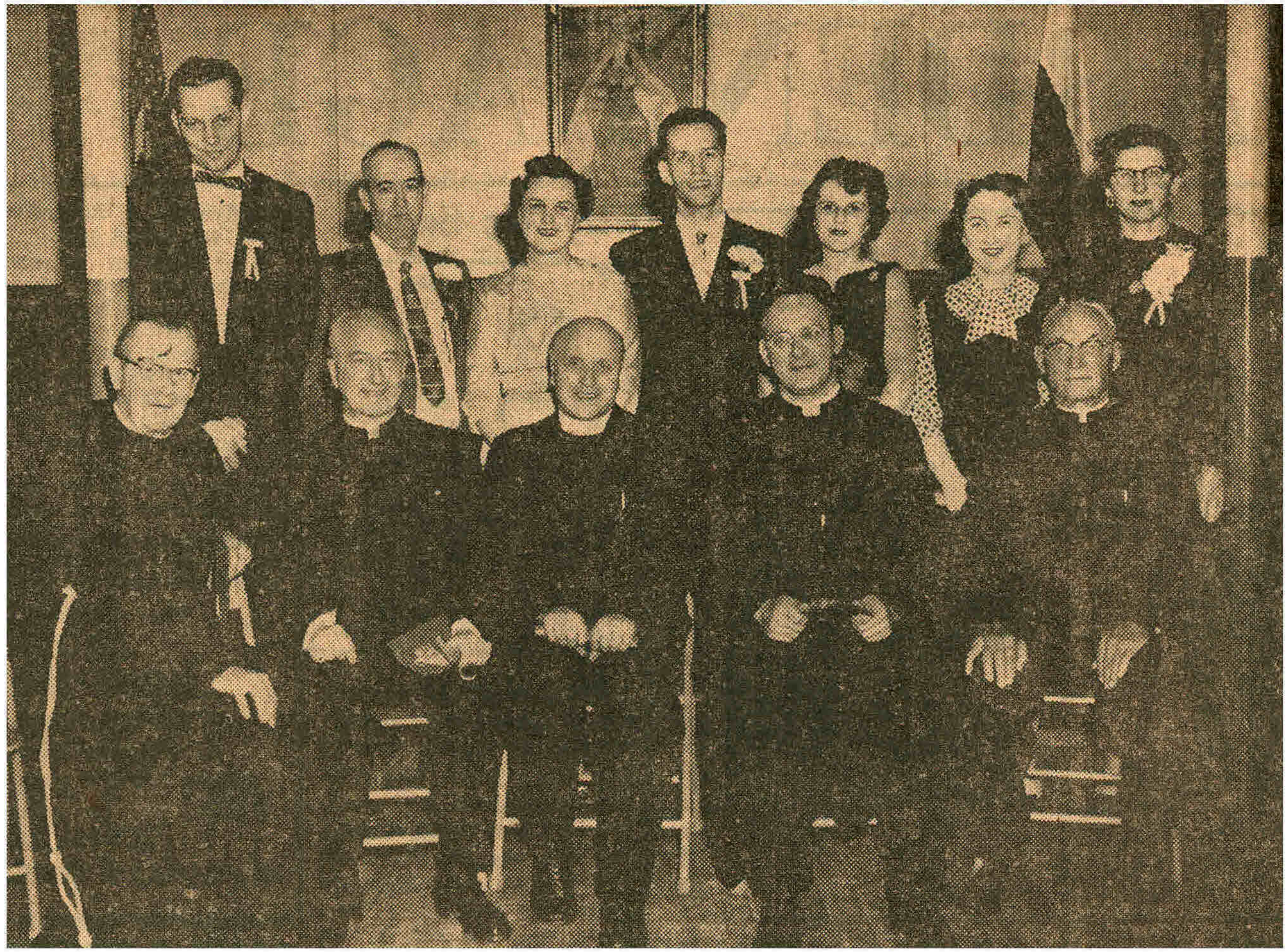

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W czasie nabozenstwa Chor Parafj. odspiewa:
"Blekitne rozwinmy sztandary
O Maryjo,Opiekunko nasza"

Po nabozenstwie wspolna fotografia chorow przed kosciolem.

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PROGRAM KONCERTU

Hymny: "Star Spangled Banner"
"Jeszcze Polska nie zginela"
(wszyscy)

1.	NEW BEDFORD.....	Chor Paraf.sw.Jadwigi (gold)
2.	IPSWICH.........	Chor Paraf.Najsw.Serca Jezusowego. (yellow)
3.	PEABODY.........	Chor Paraf.sw.Jozefa (purple)
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Kazdy z powyzszych chorow wykona przynajmniej dwie piesni religijne lub narodowe.

PODZIEKOWANIA

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Pragniemy na tym miejscu podziekowac wszystkim obecnym Chorom, Reprezentantom i Gosciom za przybycie i swoj wklad do sukcesu obecnej Konwencji.

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Najserdeczniejsze podziekowanie skladamy naszemu Proboszczowi Wiel.O.Filipowi,Wikaremu Wiel.O.Feliksowi,Organiscie p.J.Warcholowi, Towarzystwom Parafialnym i Organizacjom,oraz tym wszystkim Parafianom,ktorzy w jakikolwiek sposob przyczynili sie do urzadzenia obecnej Konwencji i przeprowadzenia jej programu.

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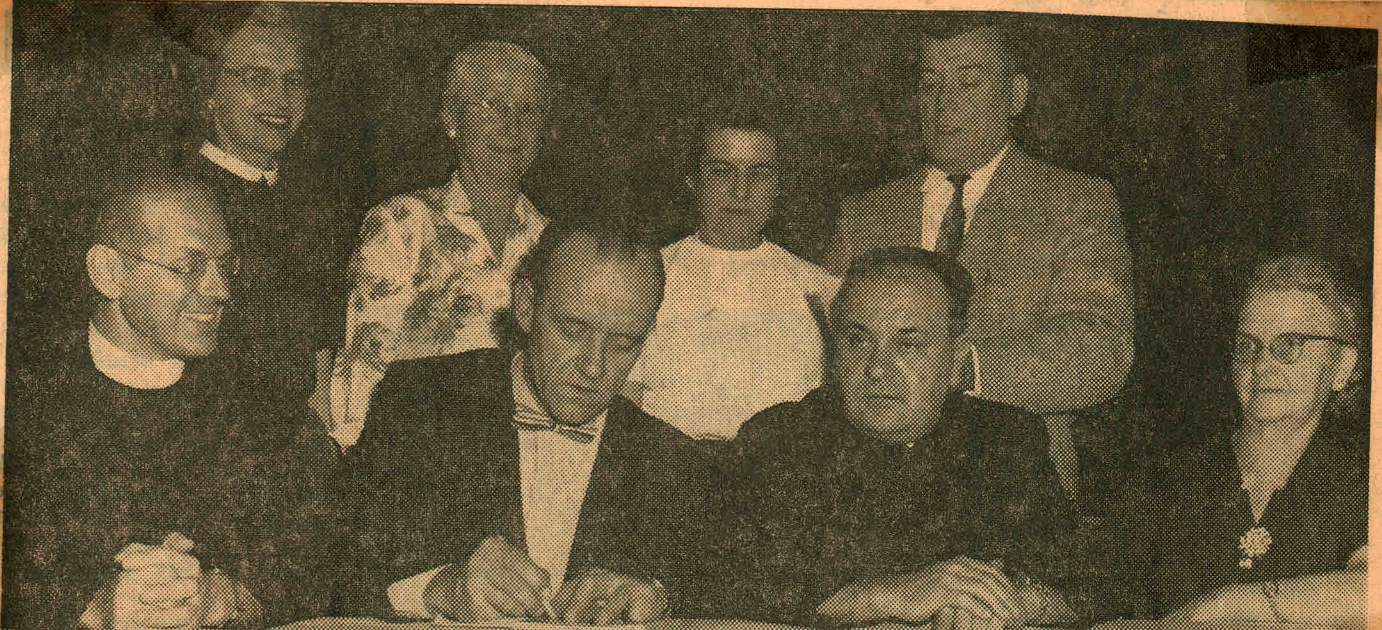

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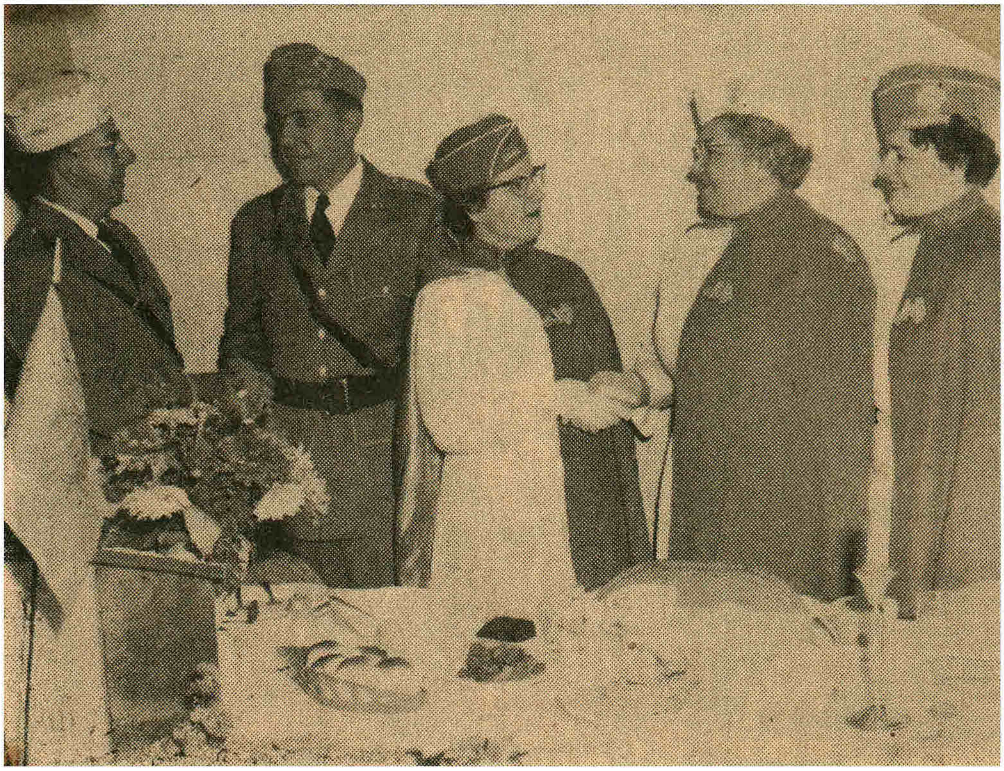

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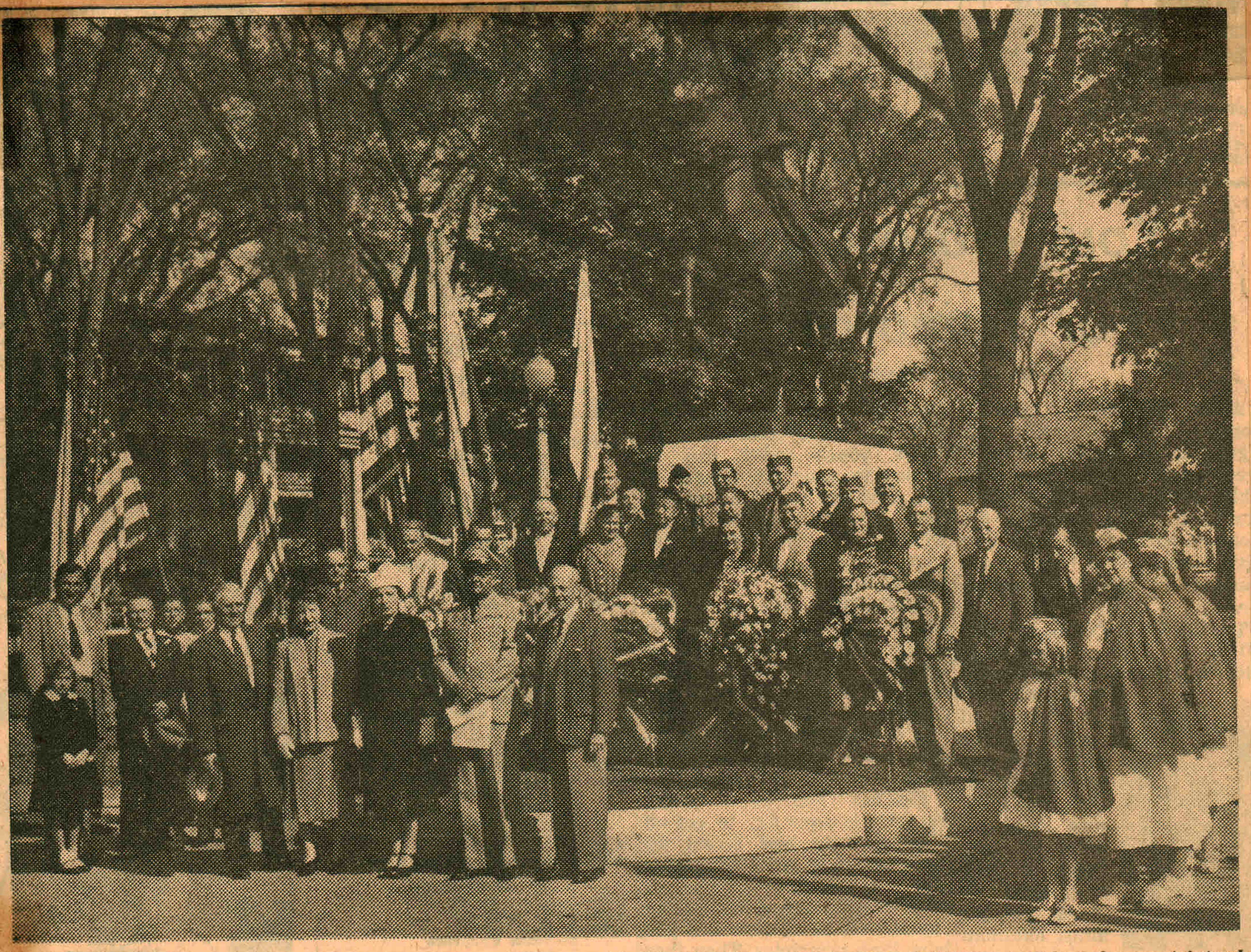

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May 31, 1960

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Catholic War Veterans, "Auxiliary"
New Hampshire State Department

Food Basket value $50.00

To be given away
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Donation: 10c per Ticket — 3 for 25c

No. 1257

ST. CASIMIR P. T. G.
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No. 1667

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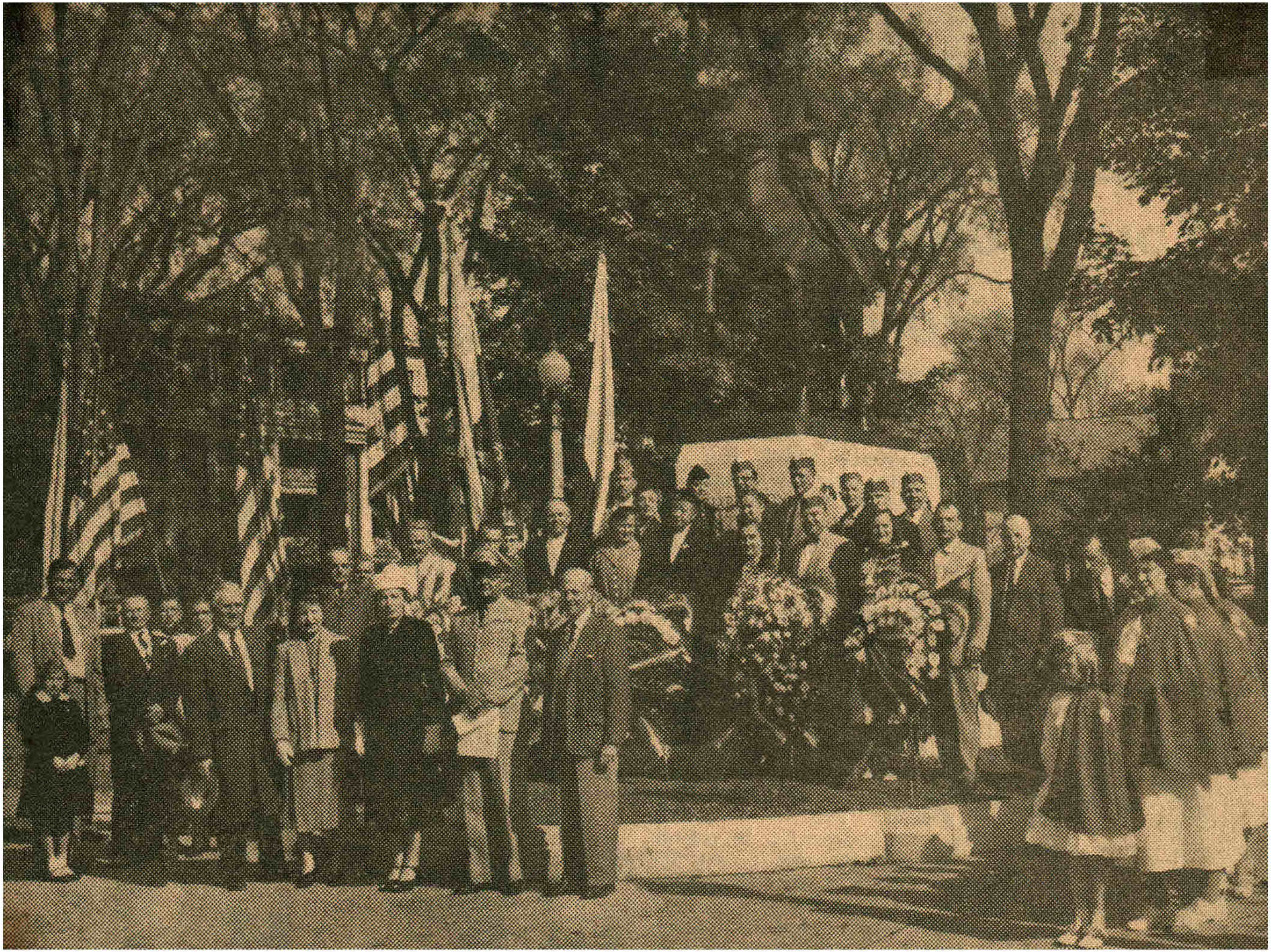

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May 31, 1960

St. Hedwig Units Conduct Rites

St. Hedwig Post 1341, Catholic War Veterans and auxiliary and Polish Legion of American Veterans, Post No. 1 and auxiliary held combined Memorial Day exercises at St. Hedwig Cemetery.

After a parade through the cemetery which was marshalled by Frank Piecuch, 3rd vice commander, C. W. V. Post 1341, the veterans and auxiliaries attended a mass in memory of fallen comrades of all wars and services. It was celebrated by Rev. Alfred Daniszewski with Rev. Ladislaus Stasz assisting. Rev. Frederic Kaznocha, pastor of St. Hedwig Church, delivered a sermon.

Wreaths were presented by John Luczyko, second vice commander, St. Hedwig C. W. V. and Genevieve McLoskey, president of the auxiliary; Joseph Berdechowski, commander of the PLAV and Mrs. Della Biskup, president of the auxiliary; William Chmielewski, representing the Pulaski Club and Mrs. Victoria Wojdyla, president of the Kolo Polek; and James Peltak, representing the Casimir Club.

Six Gold Star Mothers participated. Nicholas M. Bednarczyk sounded taps.

Parents, Teachers At St. Casimir Arrange Sale

The St. Casimir School Parent-Teachers Guild will sponsor a White Elephant Sale next Sunday afternoon at the school beginning at 2 o'clock.

Several door awards will be made at intermission and refreshments will be served.

Open for public inspection during the course of the afternoon will be the newly-renovated classrooms.

Officers of the PTG this year are F. Dydo, president; J. Tkacz, vice president; H. Daigle, recording secretary; A. Szopa; treasurer; G. McKinney, financial secretary, and J. Szelog, corresponding secretary.

St. Hedwig Card Social Winners Are Listed

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The third party is scheduled for Monday at 7:45 p.m., at the school hall.

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Catholic War Veterans, "Auxiliary"
New Hampshire State Department

Food Basket value $50.00

To be given away

Saturday, February 6, 1960

Donation: 10c per Ticket — 3 for 25c

No. 1257

ST. CASIMIR P. T. G.
PENNY SALE

Drawing - October 27, 1957

First Prize - - Portable Radio
Second Prize - - Electric Blanket
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Donation 25 cents each — 5 for $1.00

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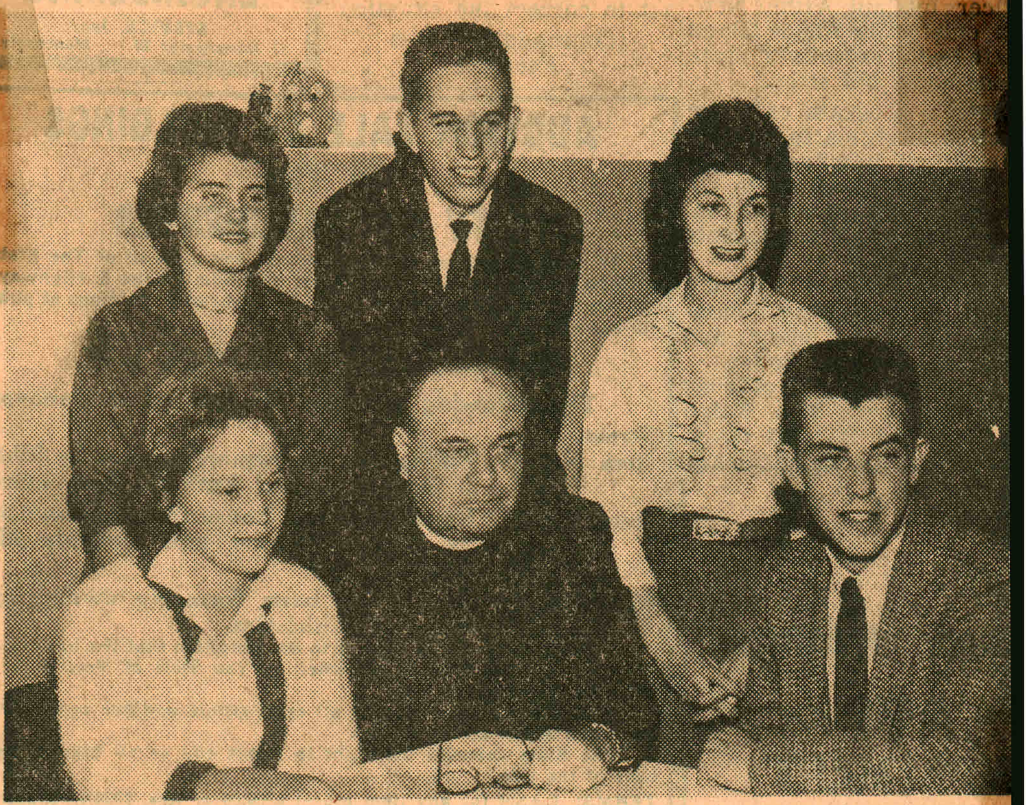

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MANCHESTER (N. H.) UNION LEADER — Monday, October 22, 1956

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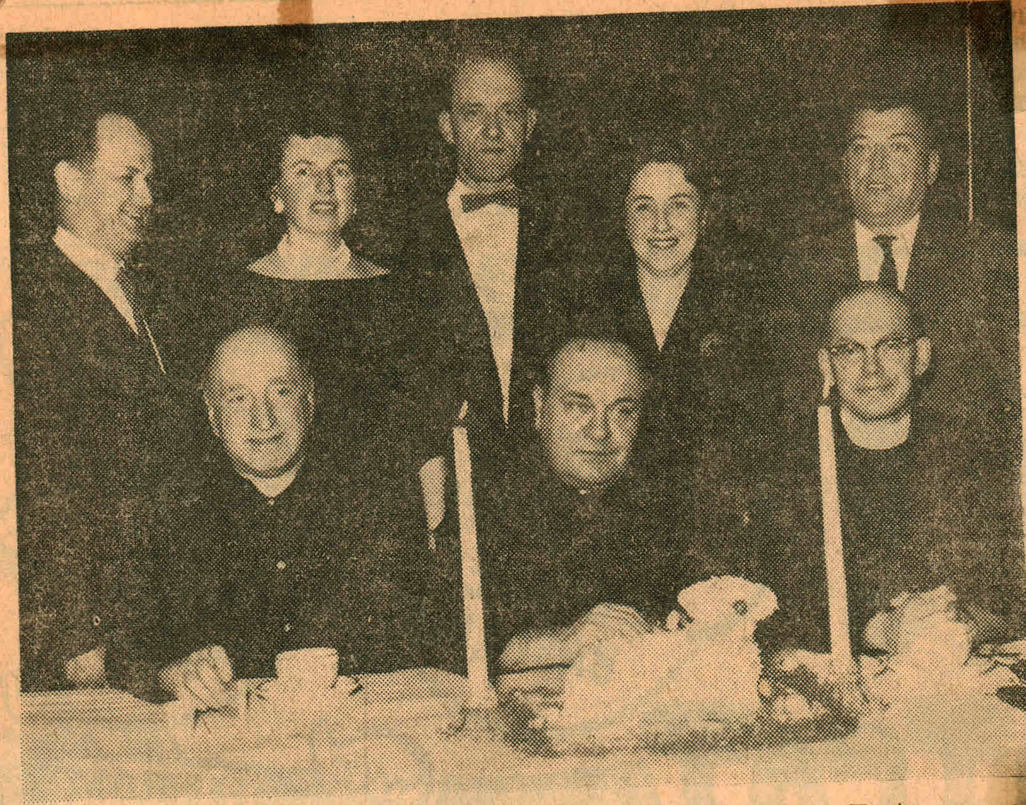

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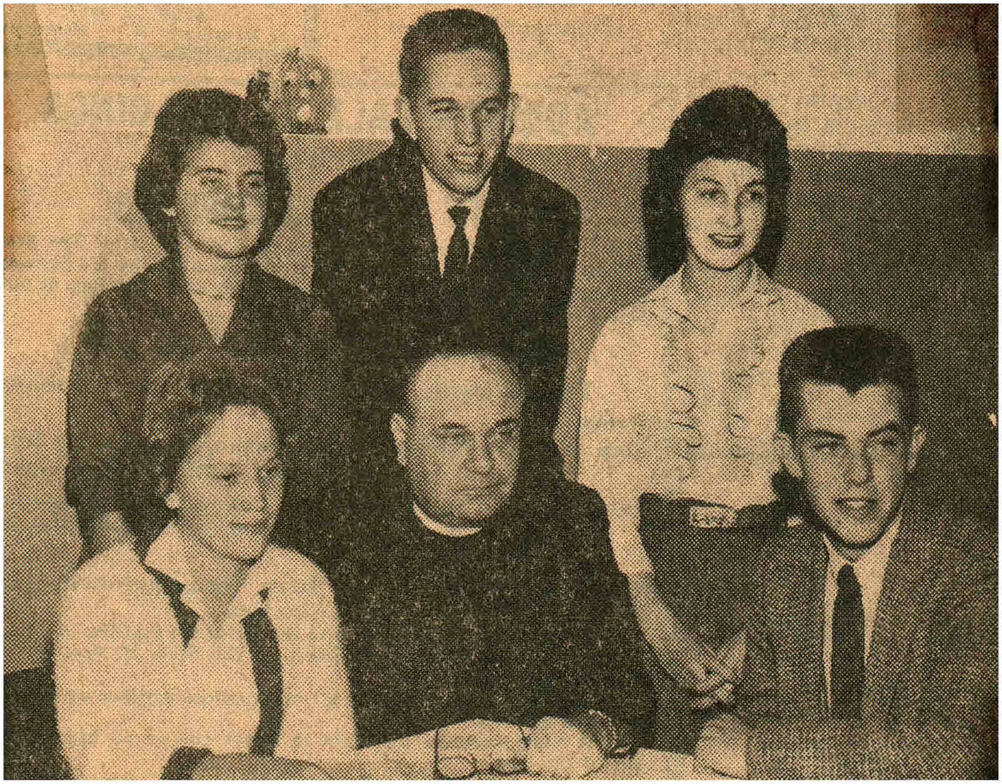

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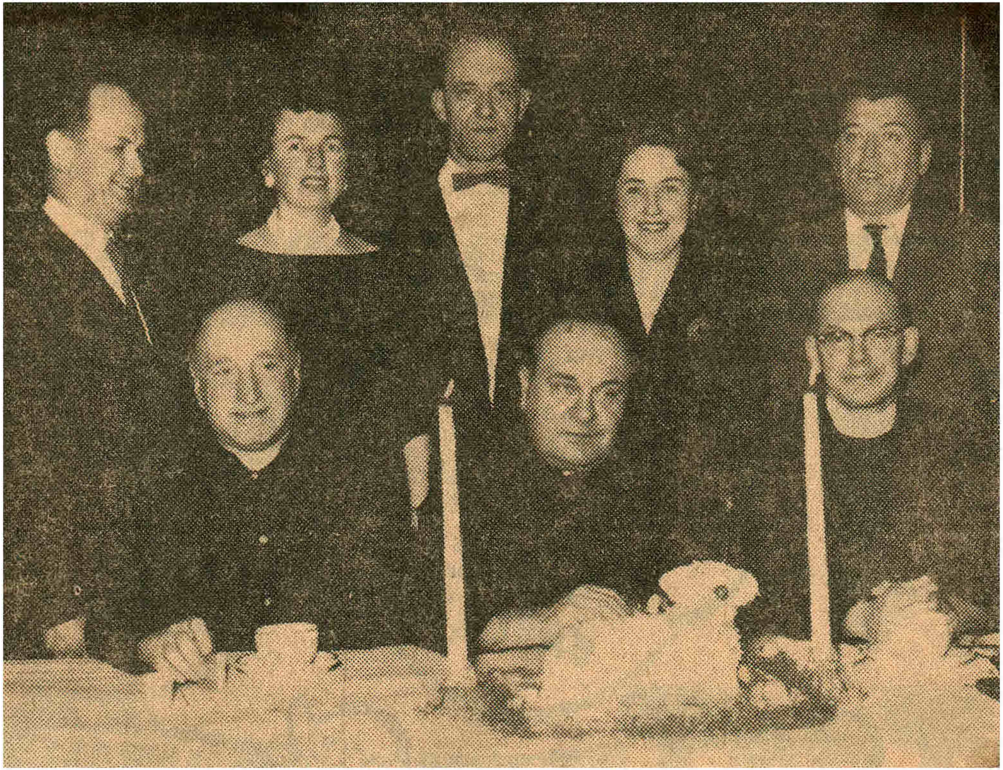

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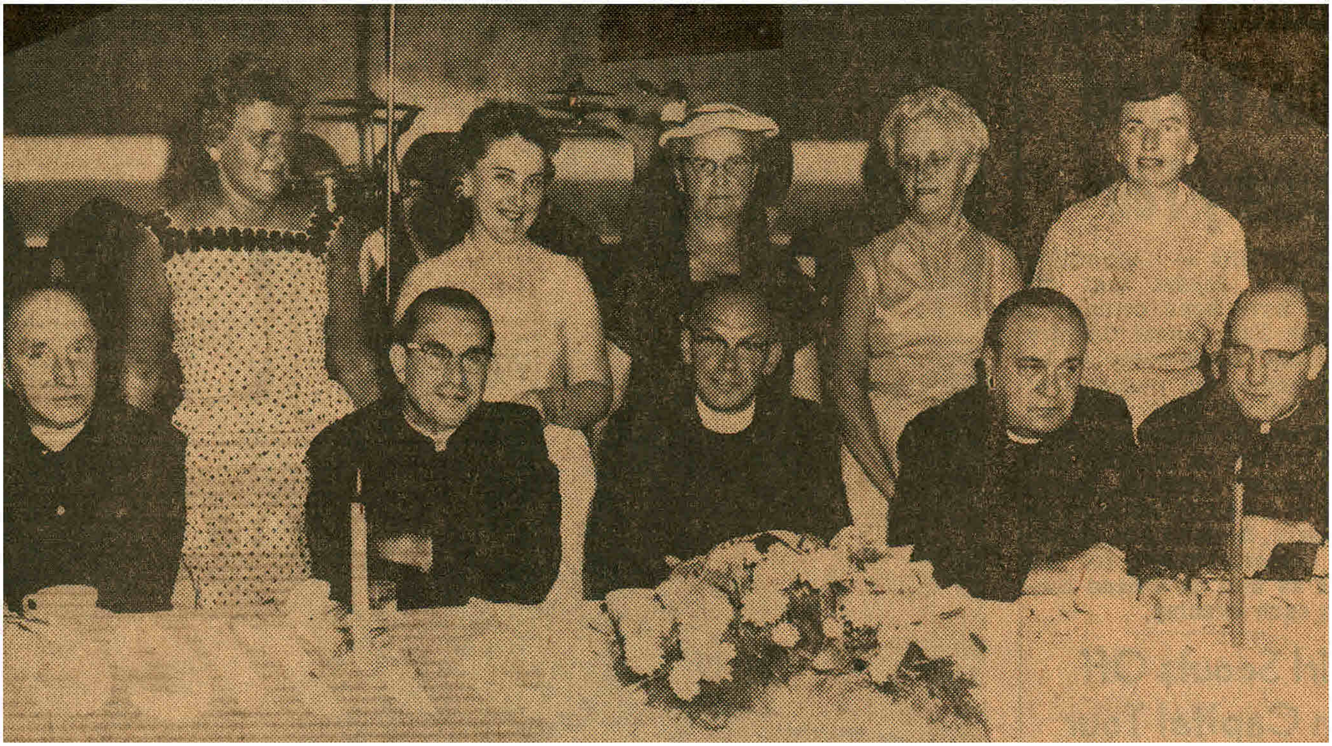

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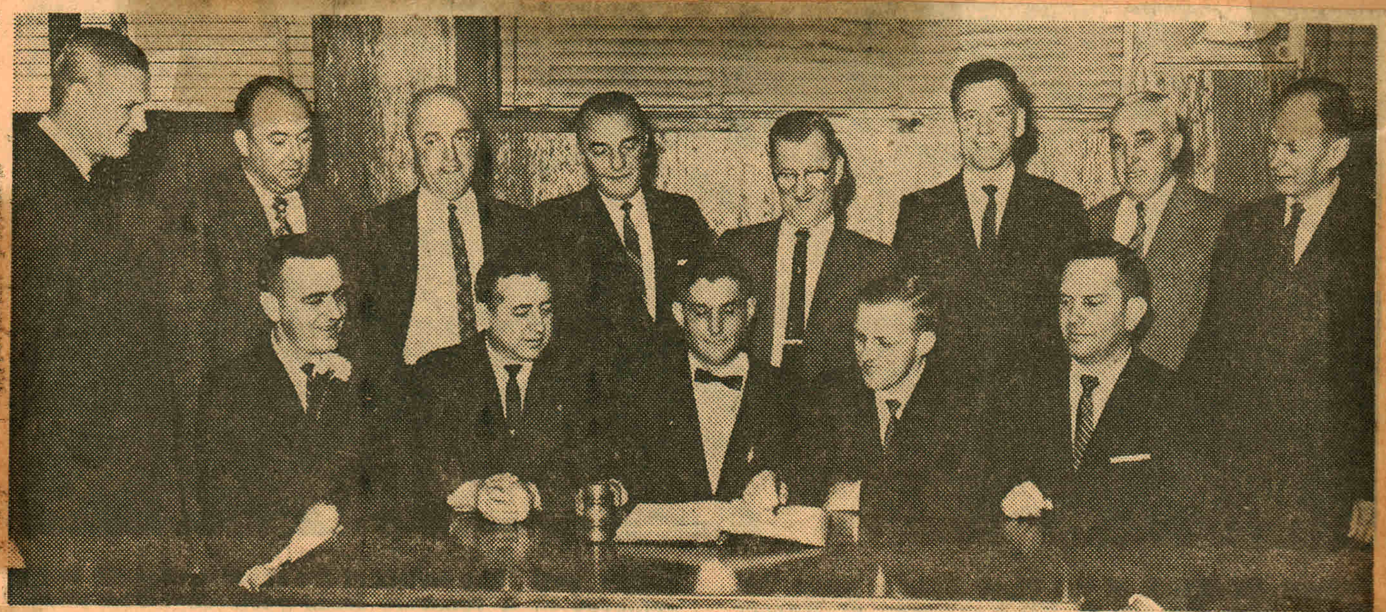

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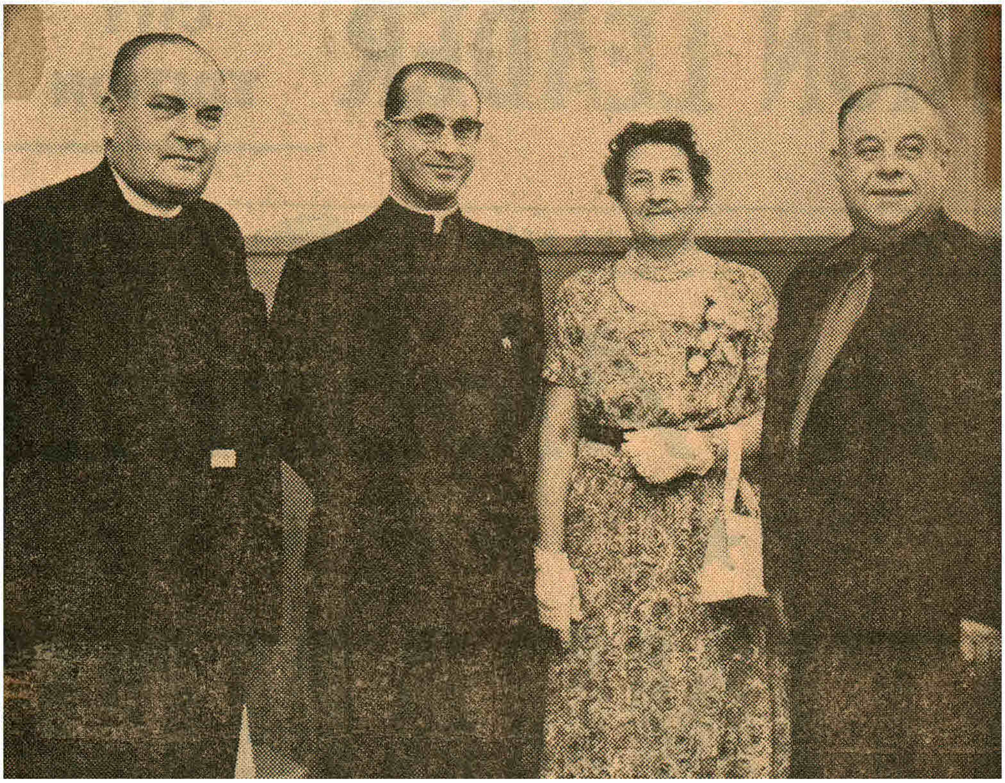

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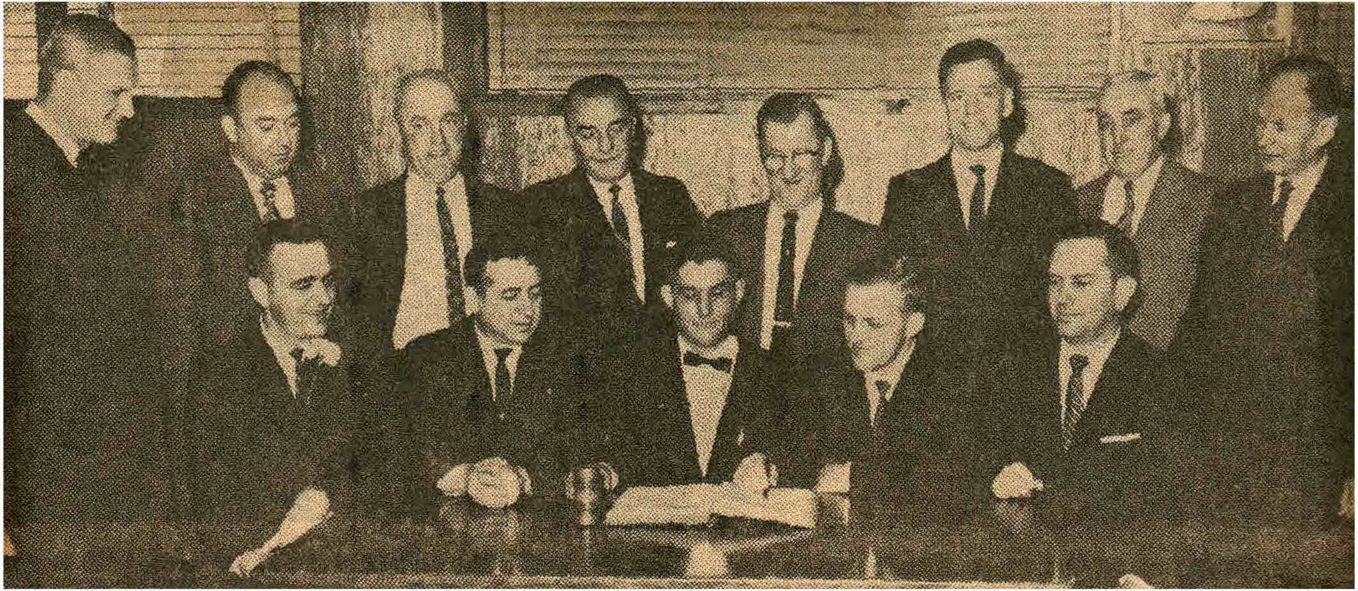

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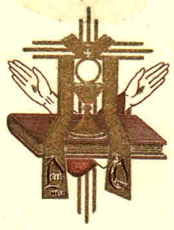

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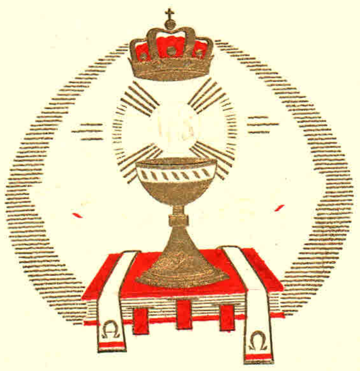

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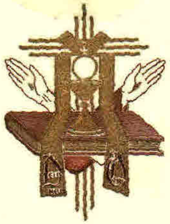

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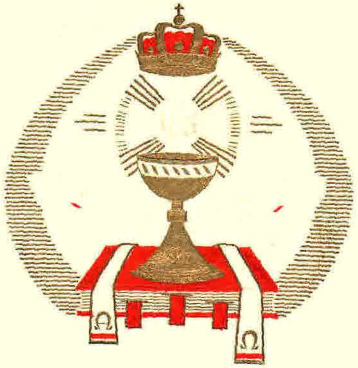

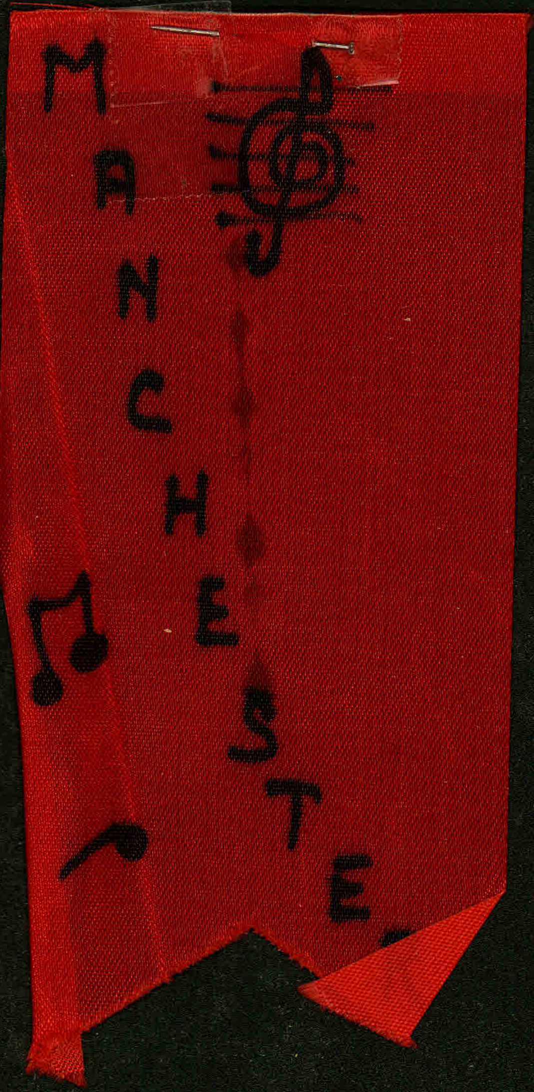
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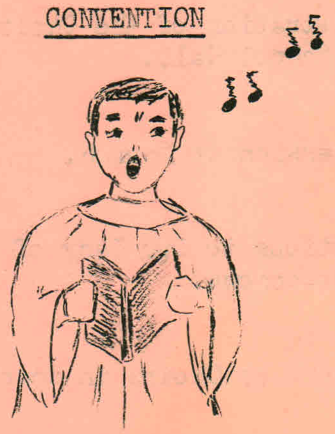

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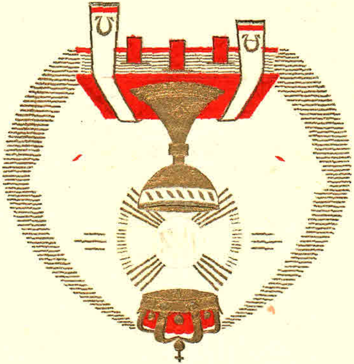

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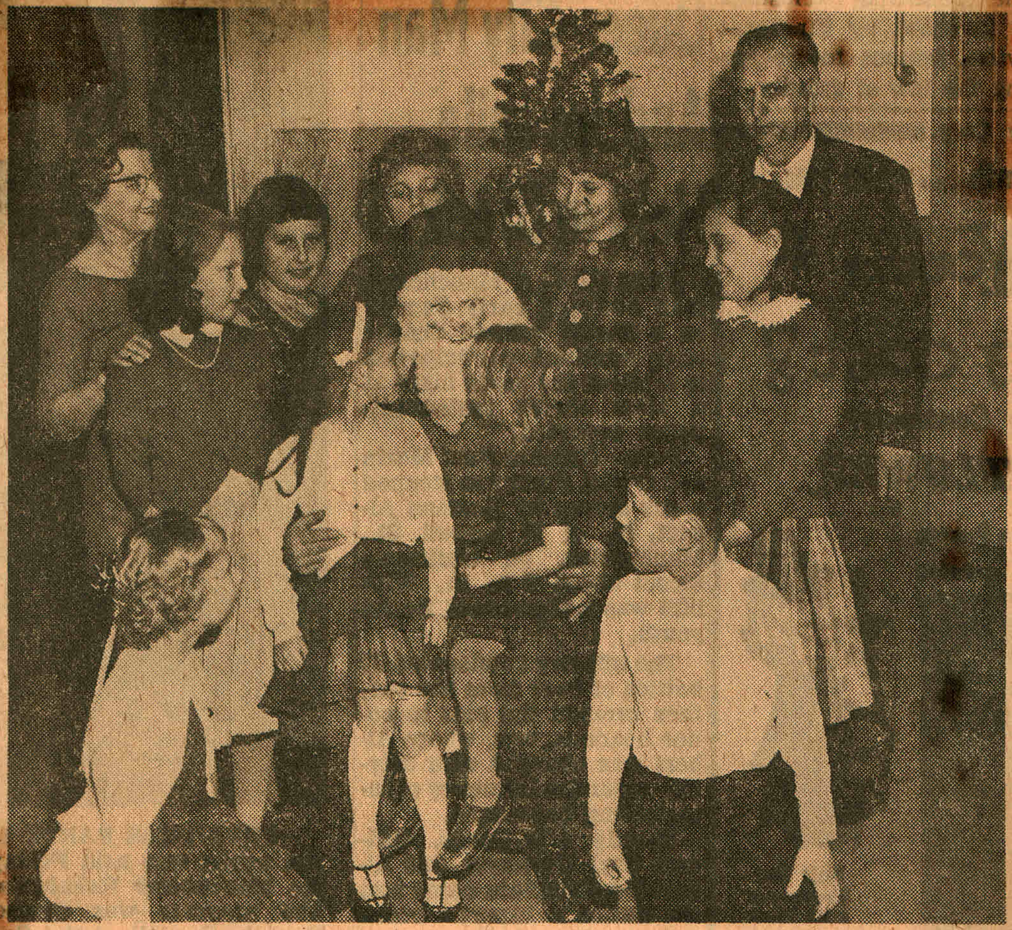

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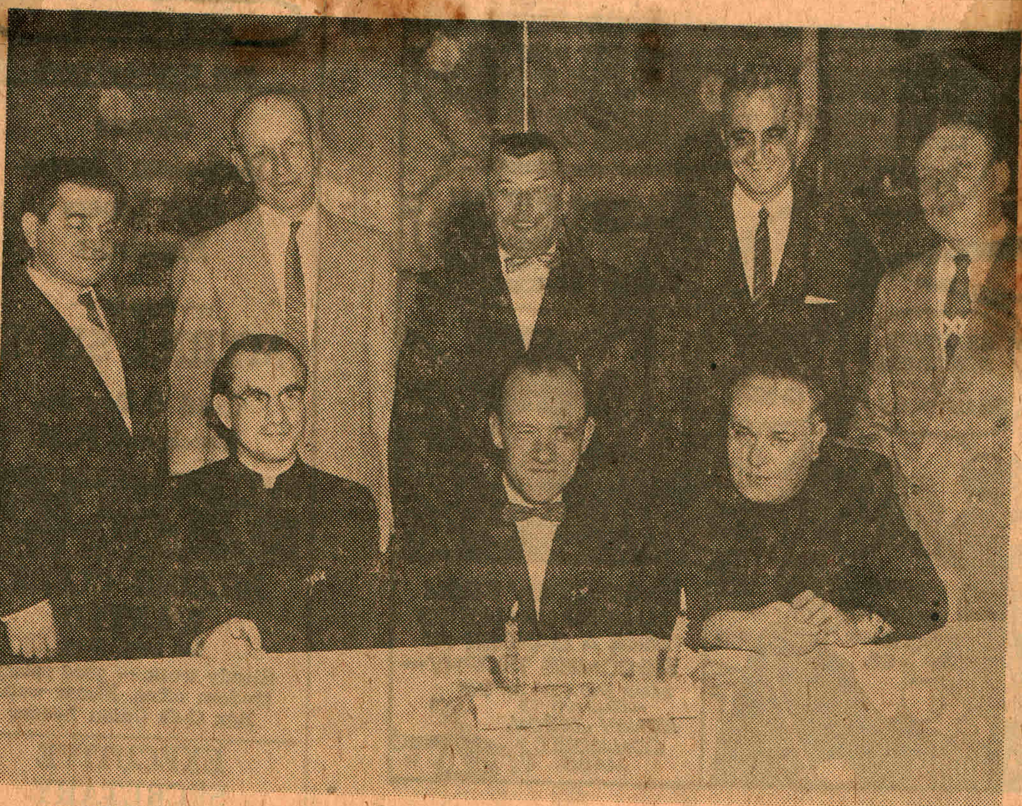

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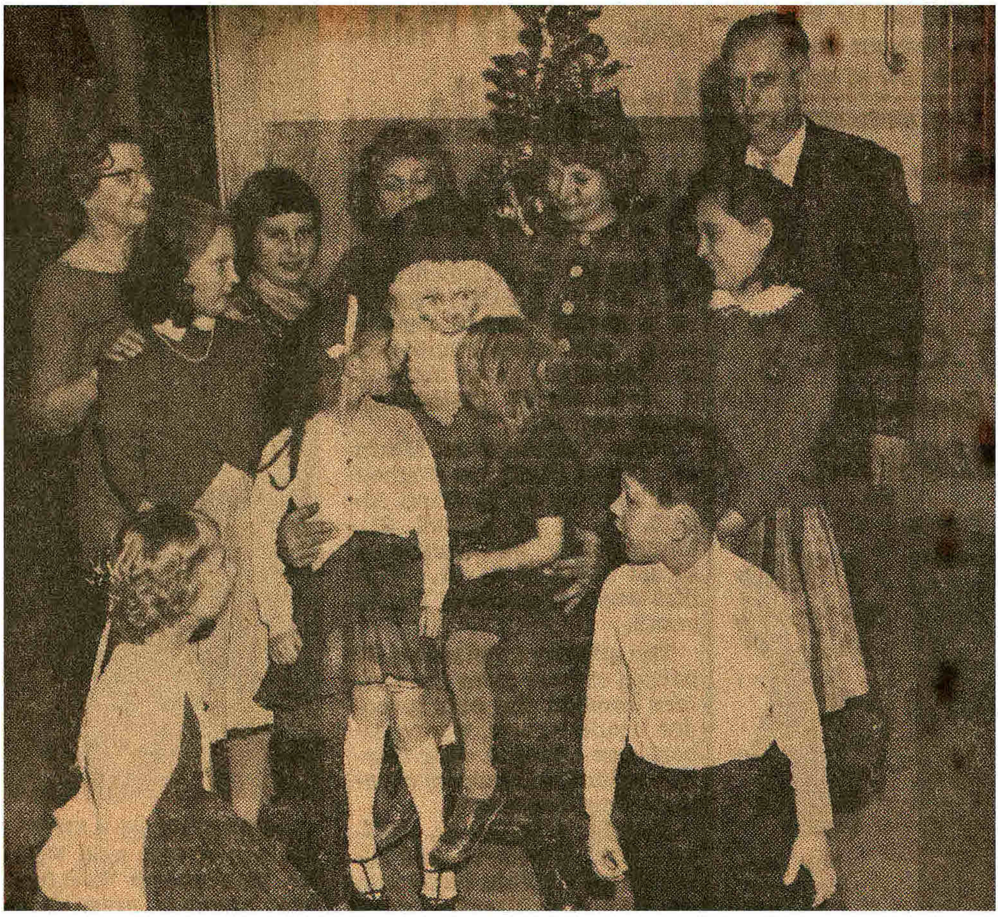

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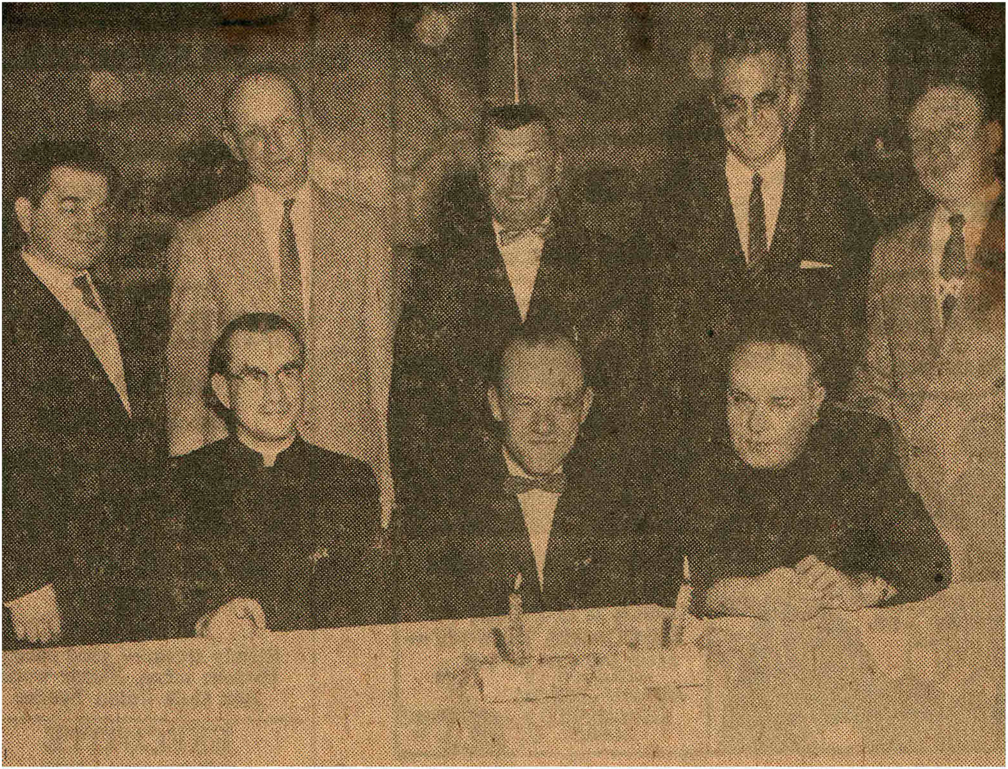

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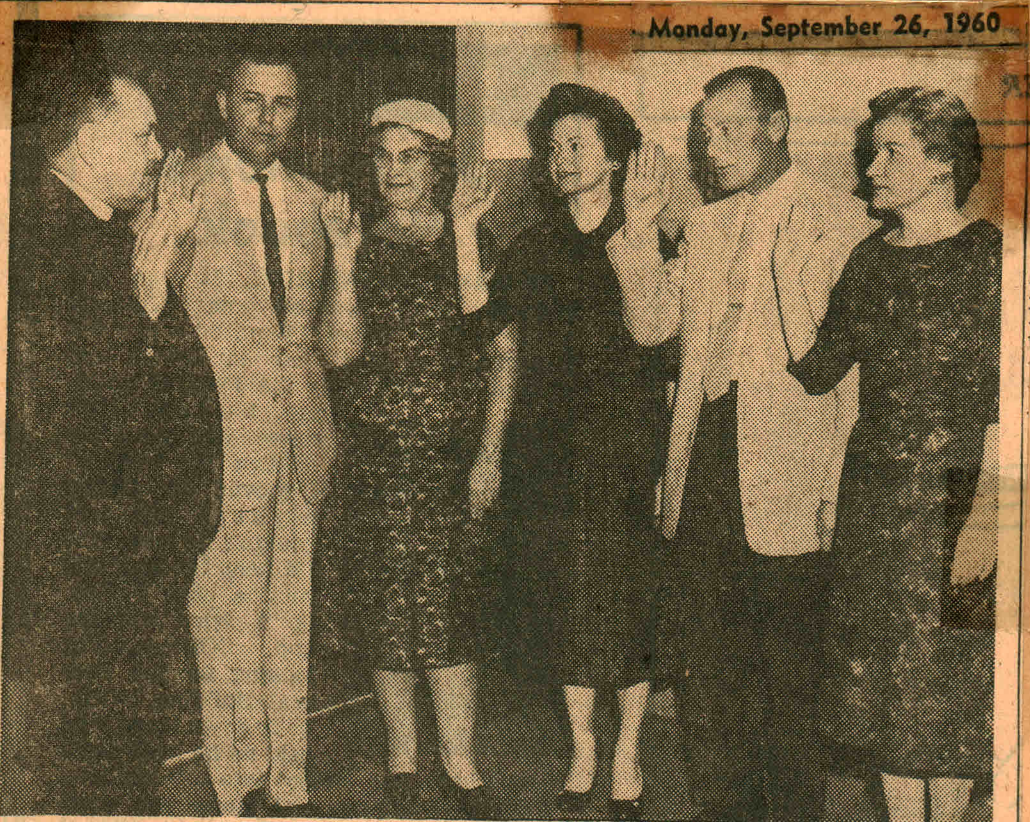

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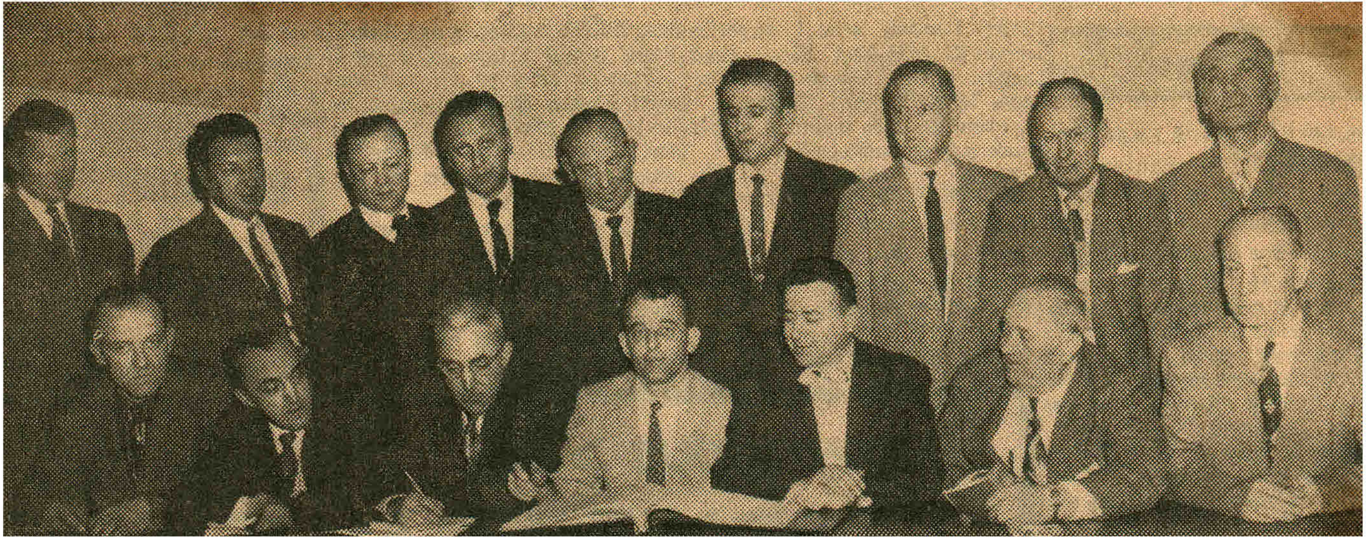

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The next social is slated for Nov. 3 at 7:45 p. m.

NOVELTY PARTY
MONDAY NIGHT
at 7:45
Catholic War Veterans
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Buses leave Mechanic St. at 6:30

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Refreshments will be served and door prizes awarded.

Card Winners Are Announced

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Five Are Winners At Card Party

At the second card party of a series sponsored by St. Hedwig building fund committee was held at the school hall. Fifteen tables were in play with the following winners: Victor Mazalewski, Thomas McCable, Mary Clarke, Anna Wierzcholek and Helen Walas.

Door prize for the evening was awarded to Felix Sliwa.

Refreshments were served.

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Church Building Fund Group Plans Several Events

At a recent meeting held at the School Hall, the new church building fund committee of St. Hedwig's parish discussed plans for several events, including the traditional "Wigilia," a Christmas supper to be held at the Pulaski Hall on Dec. 20, at 4:30 p. m.

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Whist Winners

Winners at the St. Casimir Parent Teachers Guild whist party at the school hall included: Stanley Kamisarek, Nicholas Downie, Joseph Fudula, Mrs. Sadie Malik, Mrs. Helen Komisarek and Mrs. Mary Esielionis.

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Catholic War Veterans

Post No. 1341

BENEFIT ST. HEDWIGE'S BUILDING FUND

at the School Hall

Cor. Union and Merrimack Sts.

Buses leave Mechanic St. at 6:30

Five Are Winners At Card Party

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Door prize for the evening was awarded to Felix Sliwa.

Refreshments were served.

The third card party is scheduled for Monday at 7:45 p. m.

Church Building Fund Group Plans Several Events

At a recent meeting held at the School Hall, the new church building fund committee of St. Hedwig's parish discussed plans for several events, including the traditional "Wigilia," a Christmas supper to be held at the Pulaski Hall on Dec. 20, at 4:30 p. m.

A four-week series card party will be held at the school hall, Merrimack and Union Sts., each Monday evening at 7:30 p. m., commencing Nov. 16 through Dec. 7, at which refreshments will be served and door prizes, as well as other prizes, awarded. Stanley Szopa, first vice president, presided at the meeting with Rev. Frederic R. Kaznocha reciting the commencing prayers thereby adjourning the meeting with a prayer, as well.

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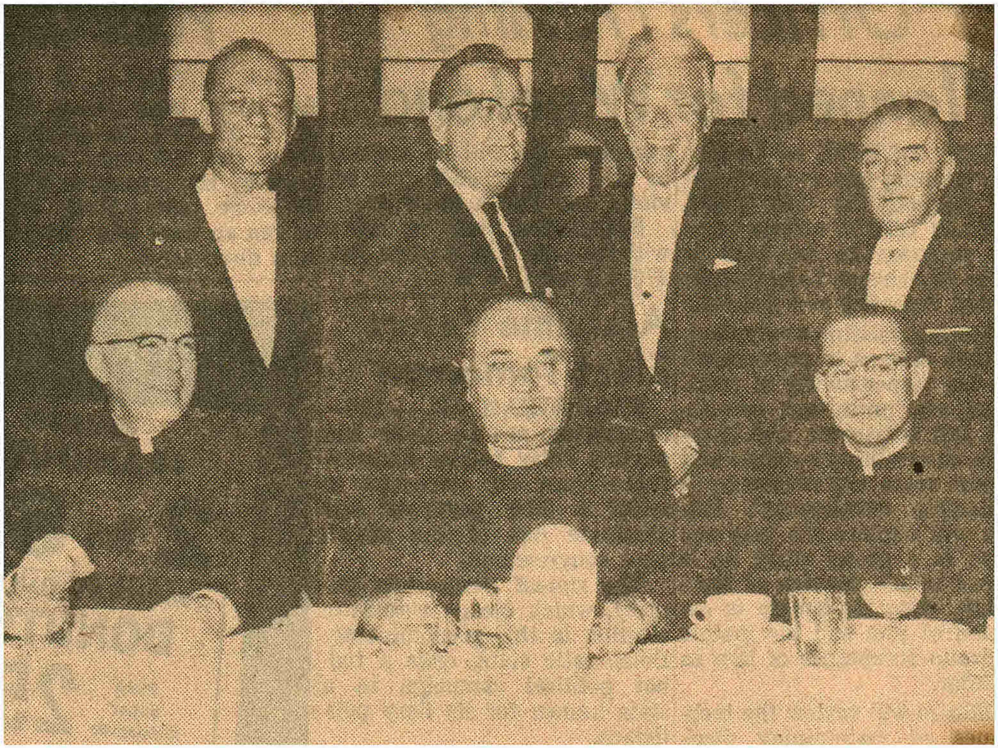

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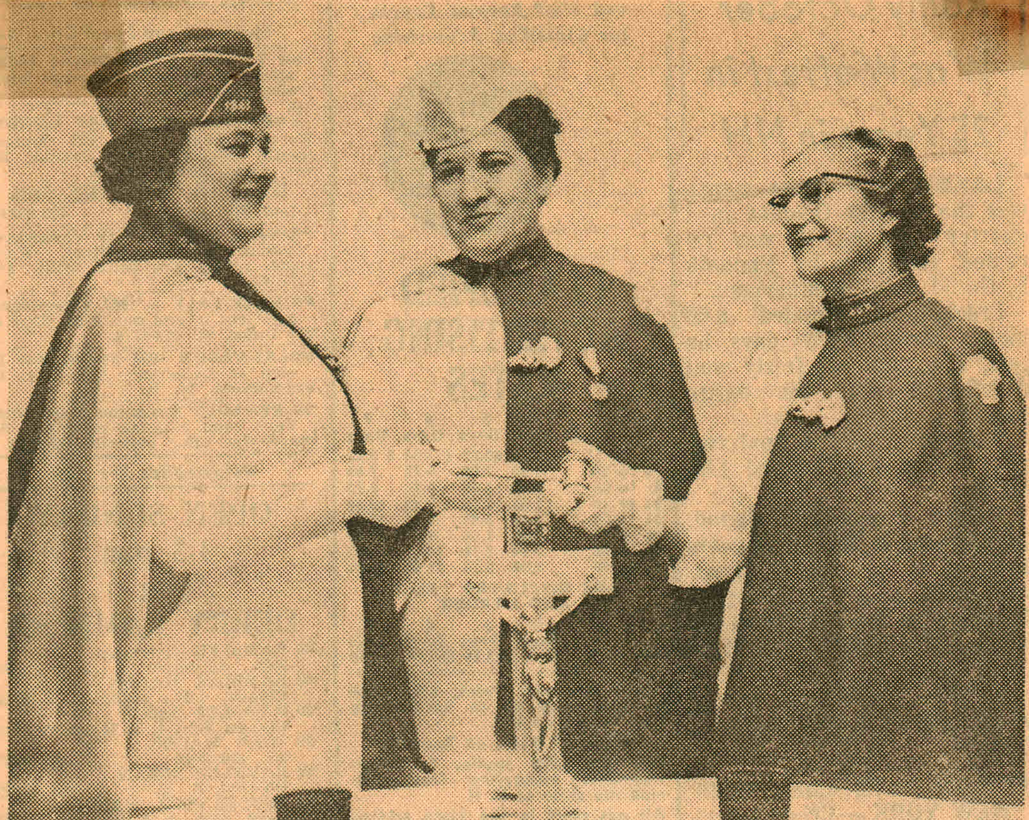

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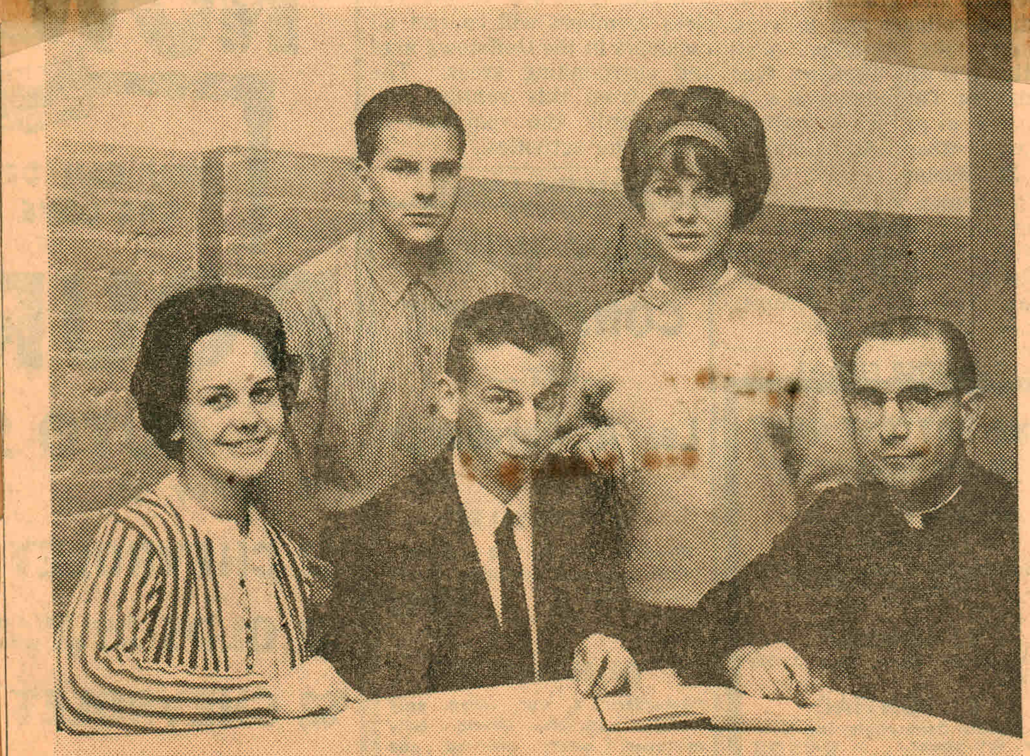

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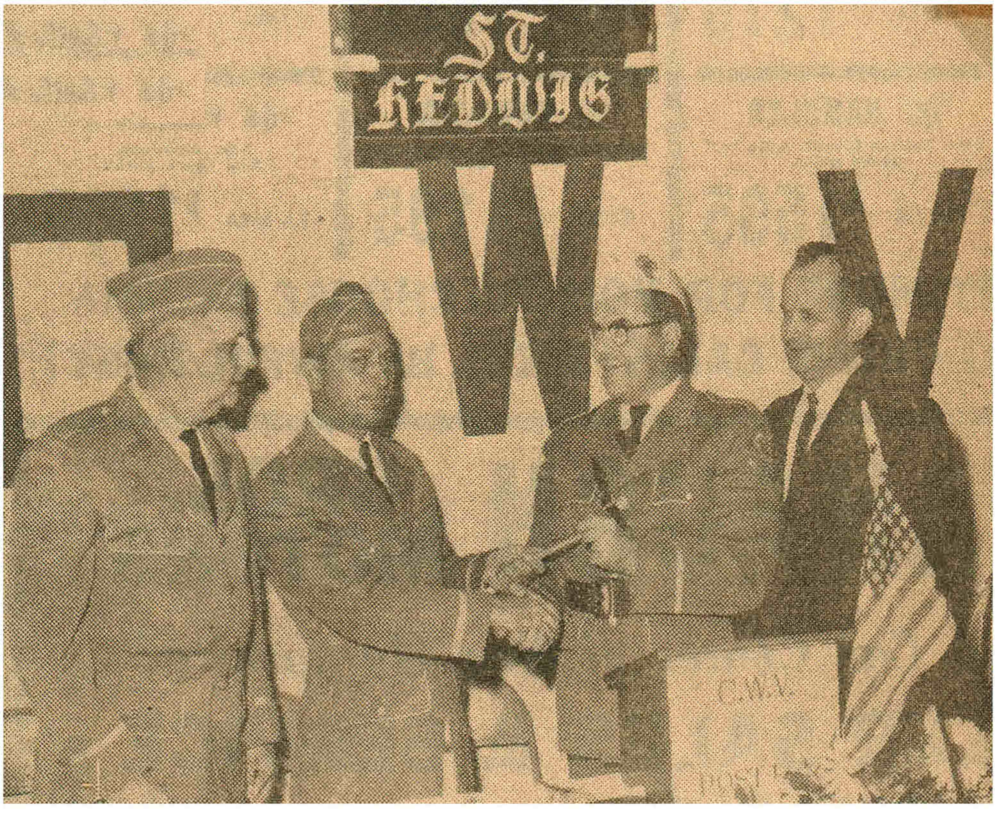

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Second card party series is scheduled for Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Card Party Winners 3rd Are Listed

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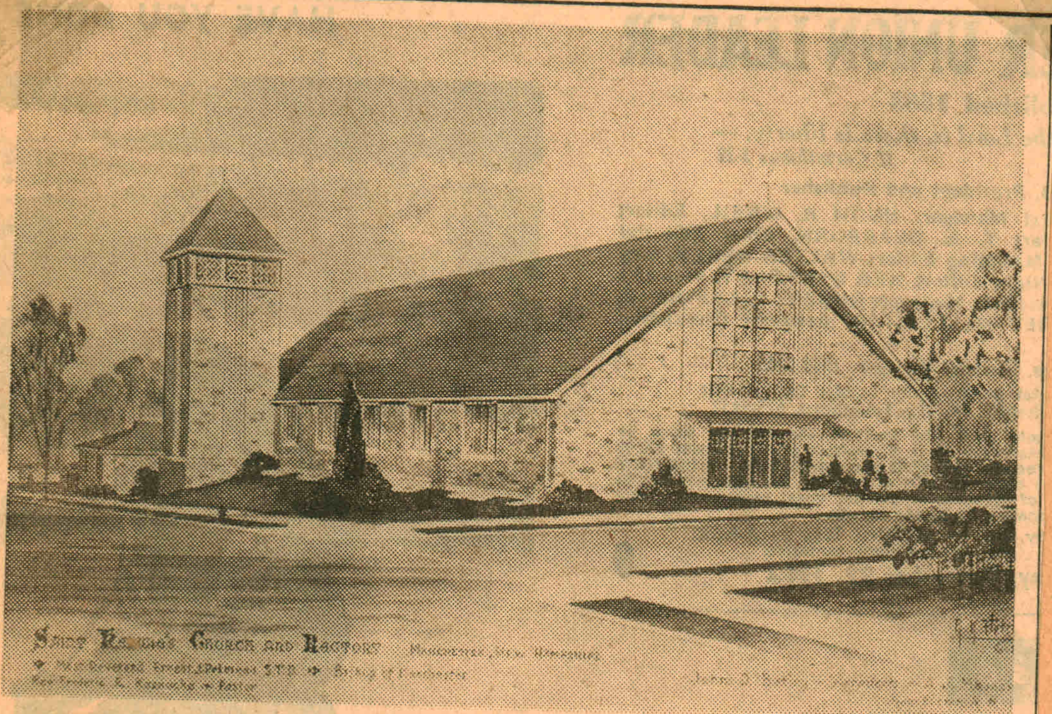

NEW ST. HEDWIG CHURCH now under construction on the former Chandler Estate, more recently the Christian Brothers Home between Beech and Walnut Streets opposite the Currier Gallery of Art, is shown in architects sketch. Scheduled to be completed in the spring, the church will seat 643 and have a basement hall with moveable stage and kitchen handling 400 persons. A fund raising Christmas supper will be held Sunday afternoon at 4:30 in Pulaski Club Hall. John D. Betley and A. J. Majeski are the architects and Blanchard Stebbins, Inc., the contractor.

ZŁOTY JUBILEUSZ

Będzie Obchodzić

Bractwo Św. Anny, przy par. św. Jadwigi,

W Niedzielę, dnia 8-go Września, 1957

o godzinie 4-ej po poł.

Z okazji tej, Bractwo urządza małą gościnę

W Sali Klubu Pułaskiego — BILET $1.50

Winners Listed At Social

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For the four-week series, the winners included Mary Murphy, Genevieve Ciechon, Rose Mahoney, Stanley Kaminski, Joseph Fudala and Nicholas Downie.

Door prize for the evening was awarded to Anna Janas.

Another card party is scheduled to be sponsored by the St. Cecilia Choir of St. Hedwig's Parish, Monday evening, 7:45 p. m., at the school hall.

CYO To Hold Semi-formal Dance

The last event of the season of the St. Hedwig CYO will be highlighted by a semi-formal dance to be held Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. in the lower school hall.

President, Wilfred Houle and social committee chairman, Rita Lesauskas, are in charge.

Members and guests are urged to attend.

Whist Series Set

St. Hedwig's Building Committee will sponsor a series of whist parties Jan. 9 to Jan. 30. The Monday parties will be held in the school hall building at 7:45 p. m. Proceeds will be donated to the building fund. Special gifts will be presented and refreshments served.

POLISH PLAY
ENTITLED
"CUD NA JASNEJ GÓRZE"
Sponsored by the
St. Hedwig's Building Fund Committee
For the benefit of the New Building Fund

Pulaski Hall
May 7, 1961
7:00 p. m.
ADMISSION $1.00 — No. 244

Socials To Aid Building Fund At St. Hedwig

Plans for a series of four card socials beginning February 3 and continuing each Monday evening through February 24 were made at a meeting of St. Hedwig's Building Fund committee at the school hall.

Playing will begin promptly at 7:45 p.m., with the awarding of prizes and door prizes. Refreshments will be served.

Genevieve McLoskey and Gertrude Walas will serve as co-chairmen of the refreshment committee.

JESIENNA KOLACJA PARAFJALNA
Na Dochód Par. Św Jadwigi
w Niedziele Po Połud o 4:30 p. m. D 13 go List. 1960r.
Podanie Osobne
Na Dole w Sali Klubu Pułaskiego
Bilet $1.50

PARISH HARVEST SUPPER
Benefit St. Hedwig's Parish
Sunday, 4:30 p. m. November 13, 1960
Pulaski Hall (Downstairs) Manchester Street
Individual Serving — Tickets $1.50

— Thursday, October 25, 1962

St. Hedwig CWV Installs New Official Slate

The annual communion breakfast and the installation of officers held at Pulaski Hall recently marked the opening of the 1962-1963 season of activities for members of St. Hedwig, Catholic War Veterans, Post 1341.

Rev. Frederic R. Kaznocha, pastor of St. Hedwig Church and post chaplain ex-officio, was the speaker.

National Trustee Henry Saindon awarded Comdr. John Luczko a donation following Father Kaznocha's talk.

Concluding their tour of command, both Commander Luczko and Auxiliary President Genevieve bestowed awards on their most active members. Commander Luczko also donated a 50-star flag to St. Casimir School in memory of the deceased members of both the post and auxiliary.

The newly elected officers, installed by State Dept. Comdr. Robert Beaulieu, are Stanley Fryc, commander; William Plodzik, 1st vice commander; William Szarek, 2nd vice commander; Stanley Zajdel, 3rd vice commander; Frank Albrewczynski, treasurer; Stanley J. Tkazc, adjutant; Frank Piecuch, judge advocate; Walter Niedzwiecki, welfare officer; Ferdinand Dziura, historian; I. John Luczko, officer of the day; Frederick Dydo, medical officer; Stanley Lacheta, trustee, and Rev. Stanley Piwowar, chaplain.

Hedwig CWV And Auxiliary Will Celebrate

The First Catholic War Veterans post to be chartered in New Hampshire, St. Hedwig Post 1341, will celebrate its 15th anniversary and the Auxiliary's 10th anniversary with a catered banquet program Saturday evening, May 19, at Pulaski Hall here.

Past chaplains, commanders and presidents will be honored guests at the banquet program scheduled for 7 o'clock. Adjt. Stanley J. Tkacz is general chairman. Master of ceremonies will be Eugene Buczynski, who will give a talk on the history of the post.

A mass of thanksgiving will be celebrated at 10:30 a. m. on the following day at St. Hedwig Church. Rev. Stanley Piwowar, post chaplain, will be the celebrant. Members of the post and auxiliary will attend.

Comdr. John Luczko and President Genevieve McLoskey head the committee. Serving with them are: Frank Albrewczynski, Phyllis Albrewczynski, Eugene Buczynski, Ann Cyra, Frederick Dydo, Ann Pokigo and Stanley J. Tkacz.

Chairmen of the various committees are: Frank Dydo, invitations; Frank Albrewczynski and Frank Piecuch, reception and hall; Genevieve McLoskey, caterer; Ann Cyr, decorations; and John Luczko and Catherine Malik, tickets.

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The annual communion breakfast and the installation of officers held at Pulaski Hall recently marked the opening of the 1962-1963 season of activities for members of St. Hedwig, Catholic War Veterans, Post 1341.

Rev. Frederic R. Kaznocha, pastor of St. Hedwig Church and post chaplain ex-officio, was the speaker.

National Trustee Henry Saindon awarded Comdr. John Luczko a donation following Father Kaznocha's talk.

Concluding their tour of command, both Commander Luczko and Auxiliary President Genevieve bestowed awards on their most active members. Commander Luczko also donated a 50-star flag to St. Casimir School in memory of the deceased members of both the post and auxiliary.

The newly elected officers, installed by State Dept. Comdr. Robert Beaulieu, are Stanley Fryc, commander; William Plodzik, 1st vice commander; William Szarek, 2nd vice commander; Stanley Zajdel, 3rd vice commander; Frank Albrewczynski, treasurer; Stanley J. Tkazc, adjutant; Frank Piecuch, judge advocate; Walter Niedzwiecki, welfare officer; Ferdinand Dziura, historian; I. John Luczko, officer of the day; Frederick Dydo, medical officer; Stanley Lacheta, trustee, and Rev. Stanley Piwowar, chaplain.

St. Hedwig Winners 1st Are Listed

At the first card party series sponsored by the St. Hedwig's New Church Building Fund Committee, which was held at the school hall, at the corner of Merrimack and Union Sts., the following were among the winners: Catherine Maslanka, Victoria Piecuch, Emilia Bournival, Stanley Kaminski, Albert Ciechon and John Borows. Door prize was awarded to Mary Myslivy.

Refreshments were served by by the committeemen under the supervision of Mrs. Gertrude Walas and Mrs. Genevieve McLoskey.

Second card party series is scheduled for Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Socials To Aid Building Fund At St. Hedwig

Plans for a series of four card socials beginning February 3 and continuing each Monday evening through February 24 were made at a meeting of St. Hedwig's Building Fund committee at the school hall.

Playing will begin promptly at 7:45 p.m., with the awarding of prizes and door prizes. Refreshments will be served.

Genevieve McLoskey and Gertrude Walas will serve as co-chairmen of the refreshment committee.

Card Party Winners 3rd Are Listed

A third card party series sponsored by St. Hedwig's Building Fund Committee was held at the school hall.

The following were among the winners: Aldea Trottier, Emilia Bournival, Josie Desmarais, Stanley Komisarek, Stanley Dydo and John J. Gladysz. Door prize for the evening was awarded to Stanley Lacheta.

Refreshments were served by the committeemen under the supervision of Mrs. Genevieve McLoskey and Mrs. Gertrude Walas.

The fourth and last card party is scheduled for Monday evening at 7:45 p. m. at the school hall.

CYO To Hold Semi-formal Dance

The last event of the season of the St. Hedwig CYO will be highlighted by a semi-formal dance to be held Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. in the lower school hall.

President, Wilfred Houle and social committee chairman, Rita Lesauskas, are in charge.

Members and guests are urged to attend.

Winners Listed At Social

At the fourth card party of series which was sponsored by the St. Hedwig's Building Fund Committee, held in the school hall, the following were among the evening winners: Rose Mahoney, Mary Cronin, Jane Roy, F. J. Wedick, Daniel O'Brien, Joseph Fudala and Stanley Kaminski.

For the four-week series, the winners included Mary Murphy, Genevieve Ciechon, Rose Mahoney, Stanley Kaminski, Joseph Fudala and Nicholas Downie.

Door prize for the evening was awarded to Anna Janas.

Another card party is scheduled to be sponsored by the St. Cecilia Choir of St. Hedwig's Parish, Monday evening, 7:45 p. m., at the school hall.

Whist Series Set

St. Hedwig's Building Committee will sponsor a series of whist parties Jan. 9 to Jan. 30. The Monday parties will be held in the school hall building at 7:45 p. m. Proceeds will be donated to the building fund. Special gifts will be presented and refreshments served.

Hedwig CWV And Auxiliary Will Celebrate

The First Catholic War Veterans post to be chartered in New Hampshire, St. Hedwig Post 1341, will celebrate its 15th anniversary and the Auxiliary's 10th anniversary with a catered banquet program Saturday evening, May 19, at Pulaski Hall here.

Past chaplains, commanders and presidents will be honored guests at the banquet program scheduled for 7 o'clock. Adjt. Stanley J. Tkacz is general chairman. Master of ceremonies will be Eugene Buczynski, who will give a talk on the history of the post.

A mass of thanksgiving will be celebrated at 10:30 a. m. on the following day at St. Hedwig Church. Rev. Stanley Piwowar, post chaplain, will be the celebrant. Members of the post and auxiliary will attend.

Comdr. John Luczko and President Genevieve McLoskey head the committee. Serving with them are: Frank Albrewczynski, Phyllis Albrewczynski, Eugene Buczynski, Ann Cyra, Frederick Dydo, Ann Pokigo and Stanley J. Tkacz.

Chairmen of the various committees are: Frank Dydo, invitations; Frank Albrewczynski and Frank Piecuch, reception and hall; Genevieve McLoskey, caterer; Ann Cyr, decorations; and John Luczko and Catherine Malik, tickets.

JESIENNA KOLACJA PARAFJALNA
Na Dochód Par. Św Jadwigi
w Niedziele Po Połud o 4:30 p. m. D 13 go List. 1960r.
Podanie Osobne
Na Dole w Sali Klubu Pułaskiego
Bilet $1.50

PARISH HARVEST SUPPER
Benefit St. Hedwig's Parish
Sunday, 4:30 p. m. November 13, 1960
Pulaski Hall (Downstairs) Manchester Street
Individual Serving — Tickets $1.50

POLISH PLAY
ENTITLED
"CUD NA JASNEJ GÓRZE"
Sponsored by the
St. Hedwig's Building Fund Committee
For the benefit of the New Building Fund
Pulaski Hall
May 7, 1961
7:00 p. m.
ADMISSION $1.00
No. 244

ZŁOTY JUBILEUSZ
Będzie Obchodzić
Bractwo Św. Anny, przy par. św. Jadwigi,
W Niedzielę, dnia 8-go Września, 1957
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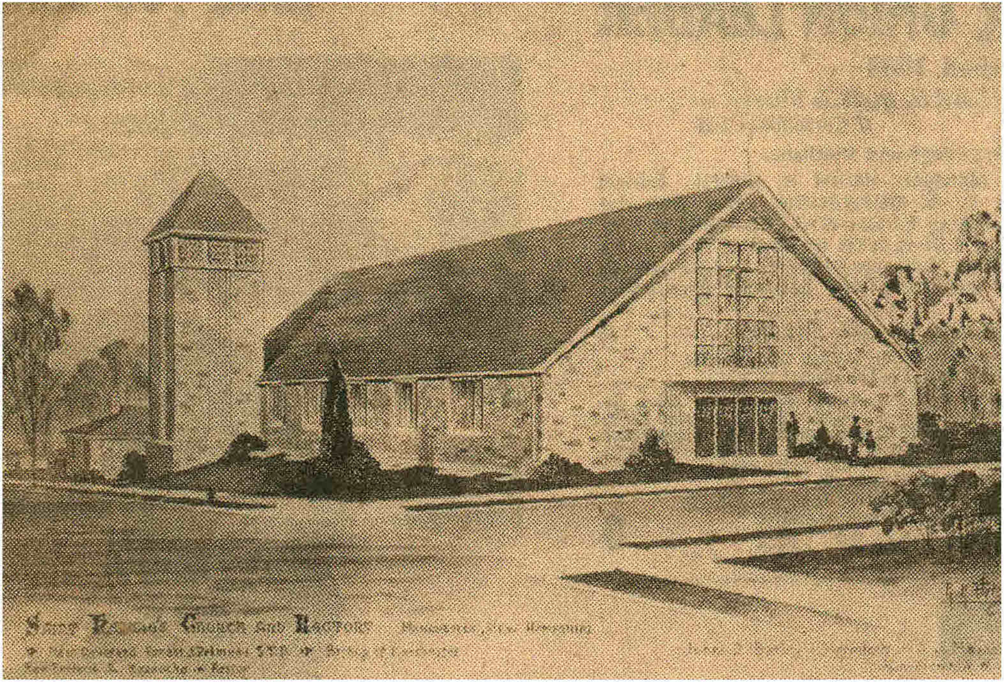
UNION LEADER — Saturday, December 22, 1962



NEW ST. HEDWIG CHURCH now under construction on the former Chandler Estate, more recently the Christian Brothers Home between Beech and Walnut Streets opposite the Currier Gallery of Art, is shown in architects sketch. Scheduled to be completed in the spring, the church will seat 643 and have a basement hall with moveable stage and kitchen handling 400 persons. A fund raising Christmas supper will be held Sunday afternoon at 4:30 in Pulaski Club Hall. John D. Betley and A. J. Majeski are the architects and Blanchard Stebbins, Inc., the contractor.

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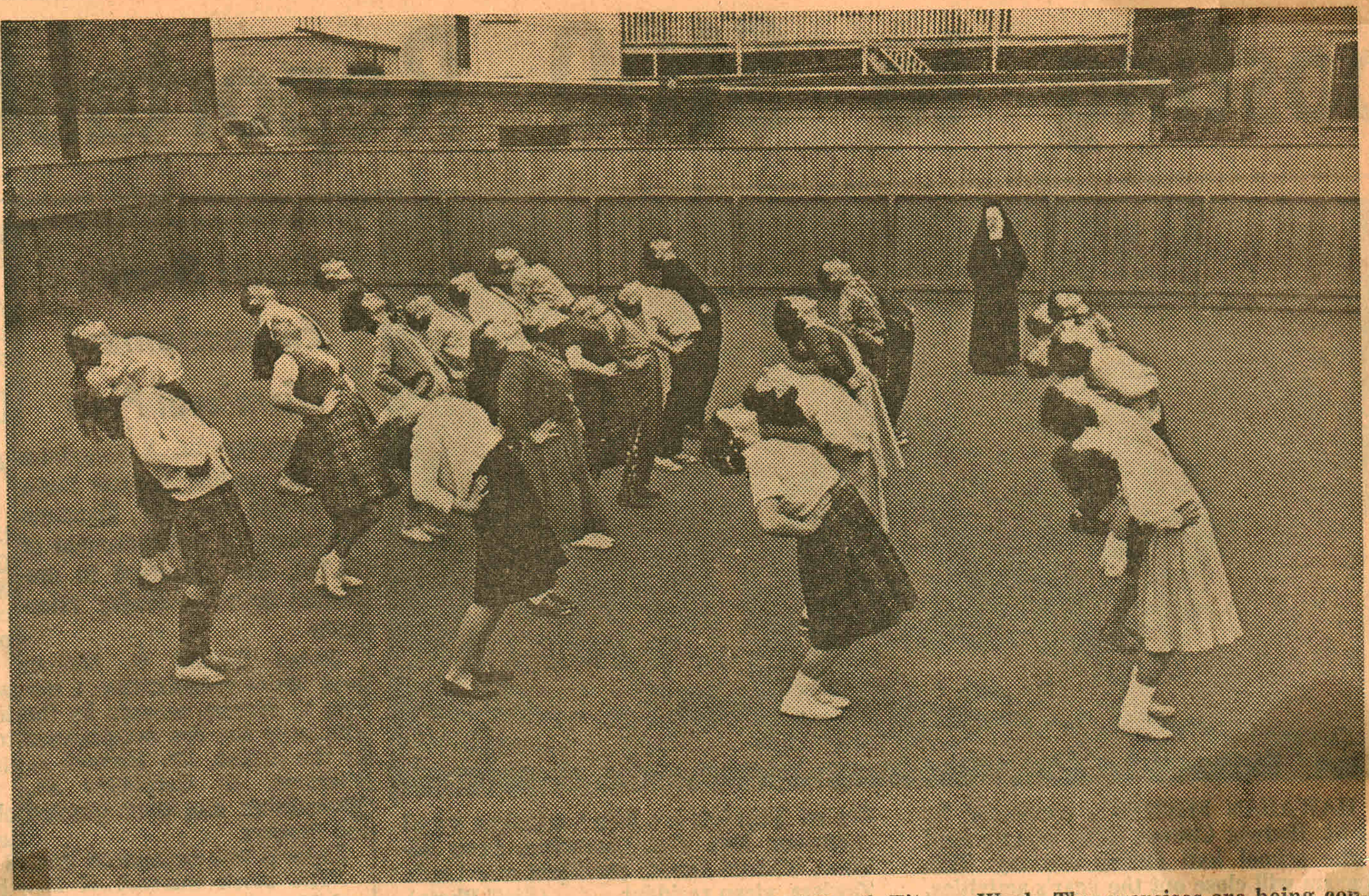

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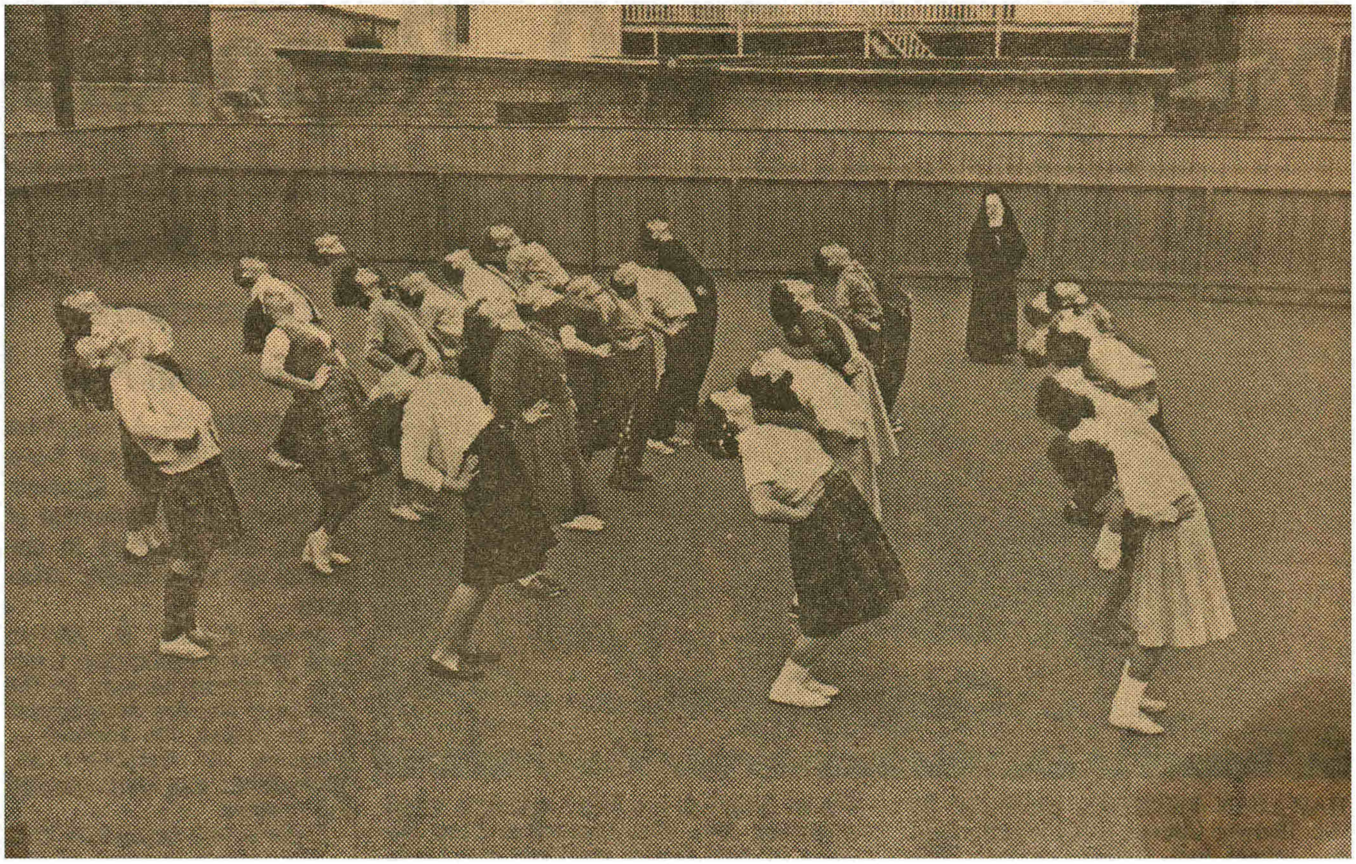

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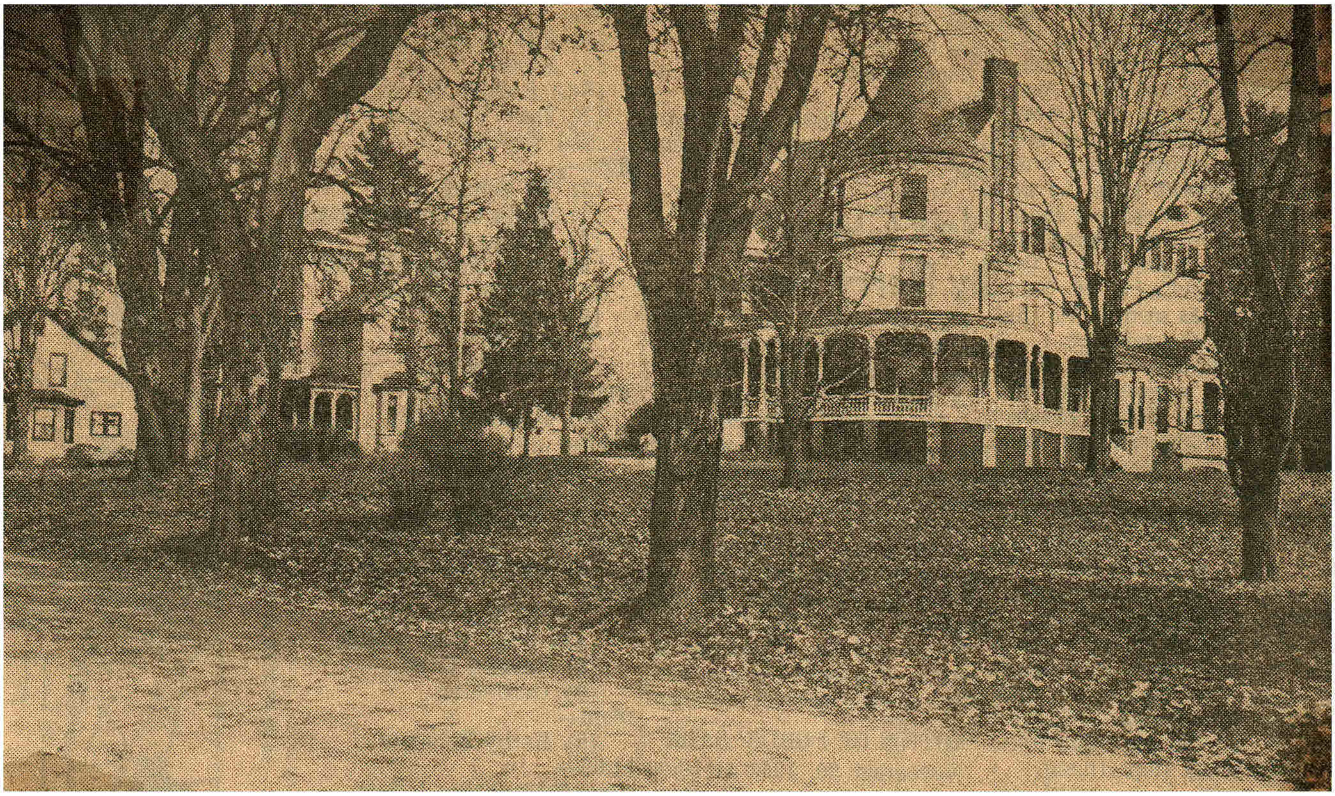

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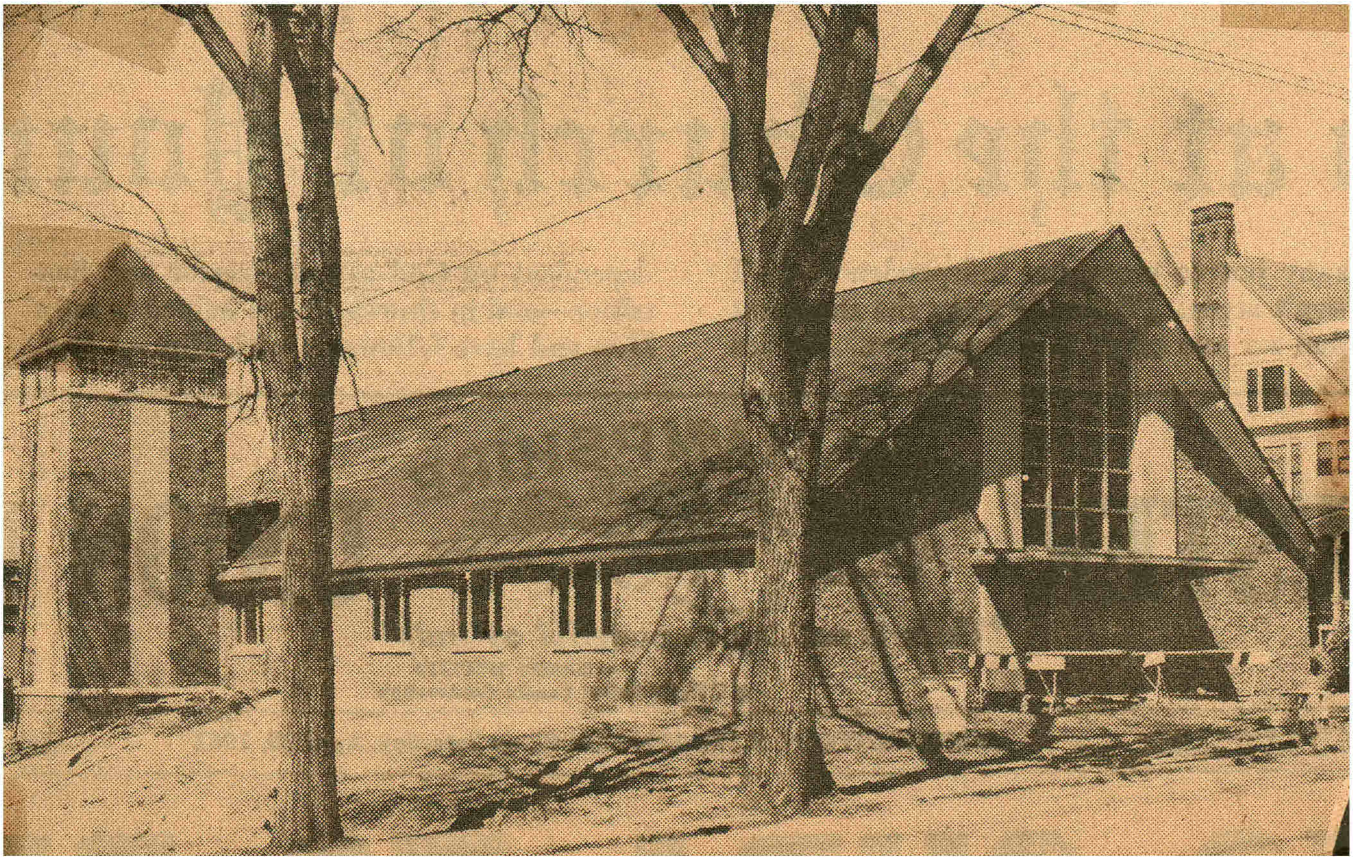

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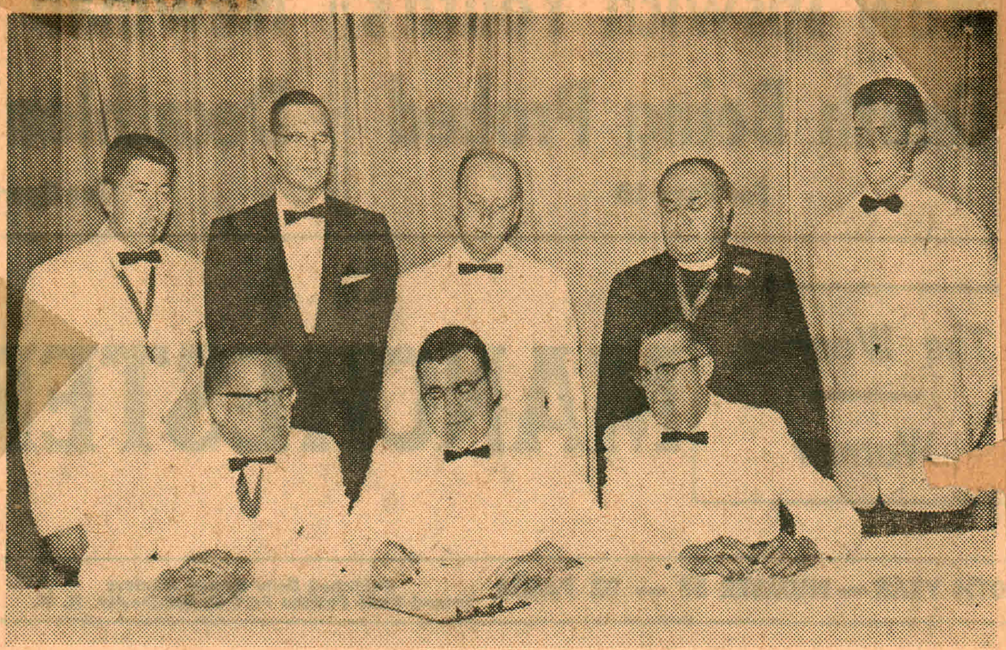

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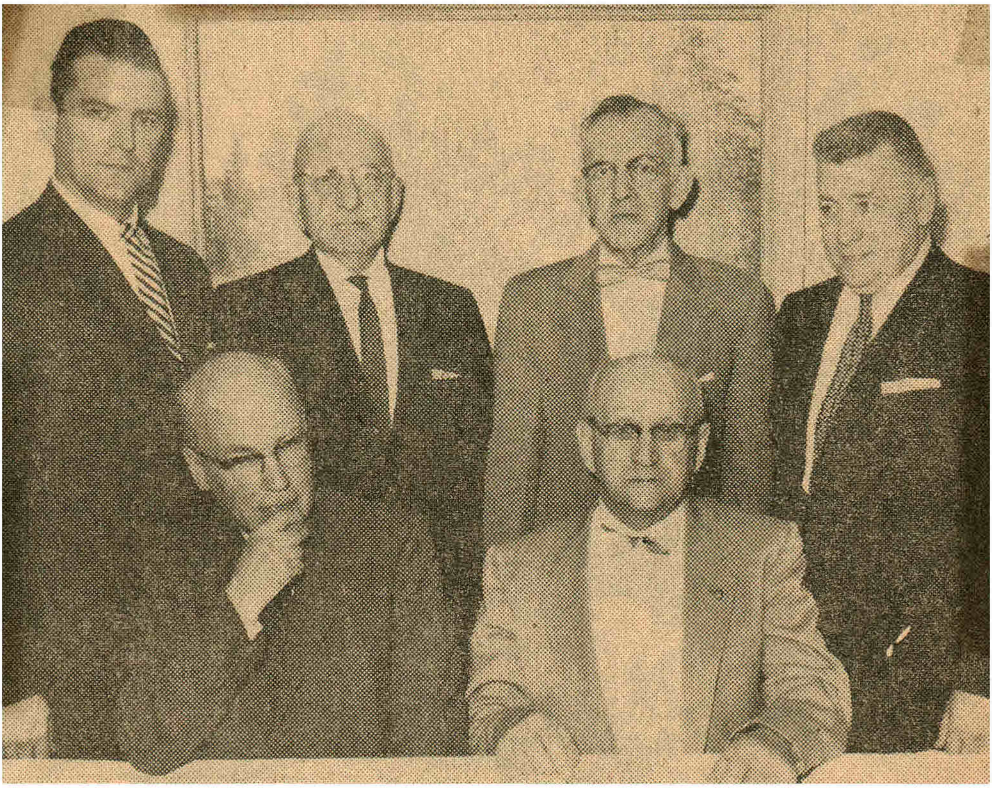

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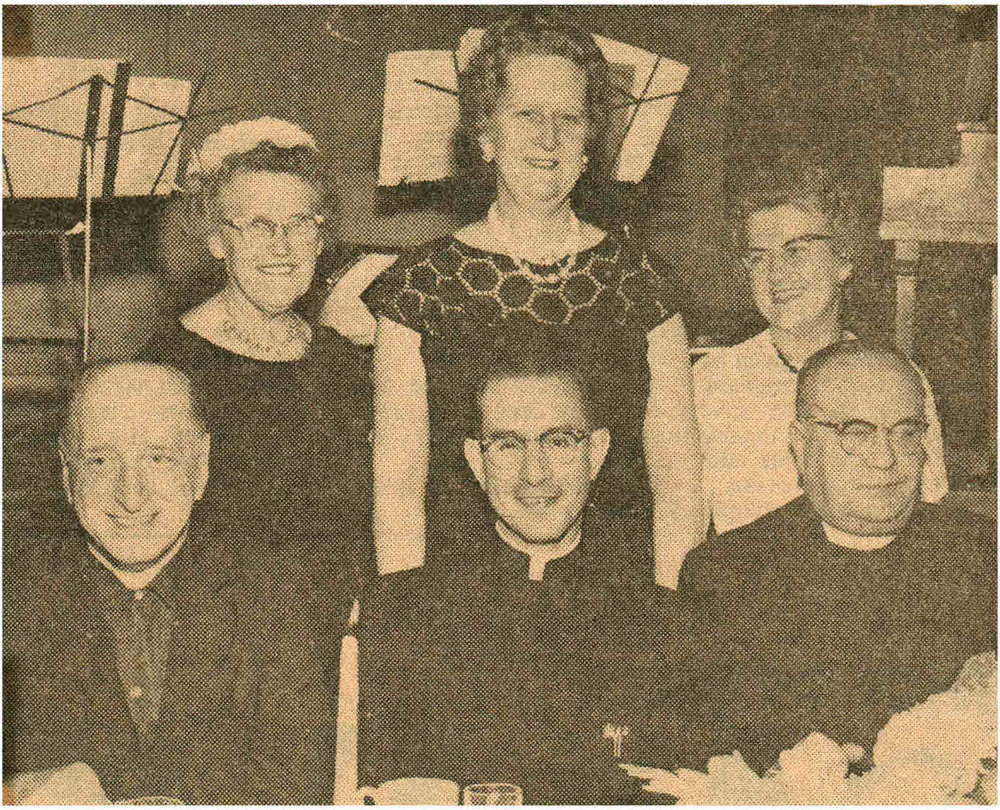

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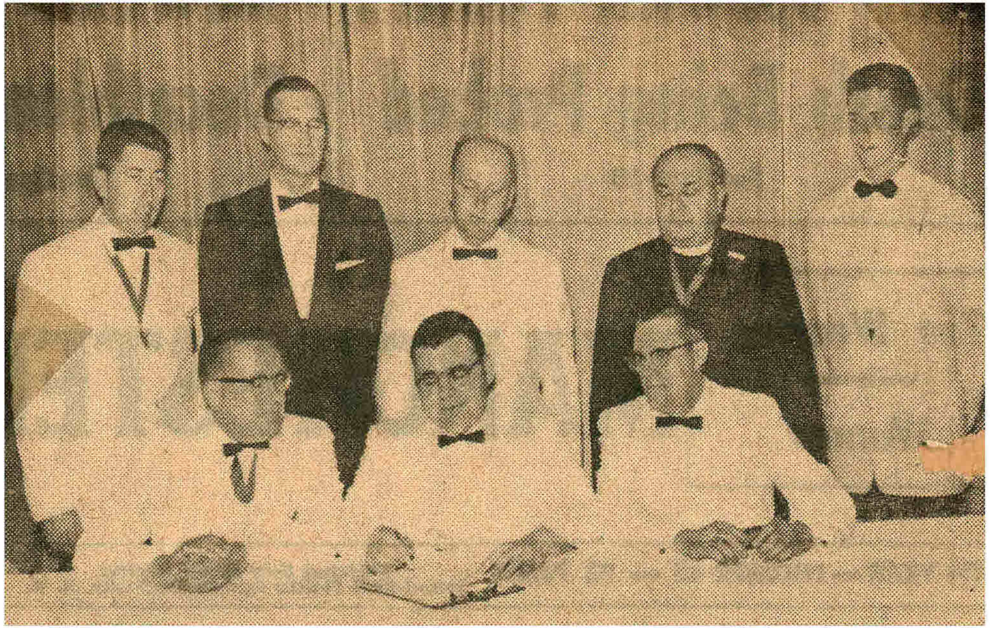

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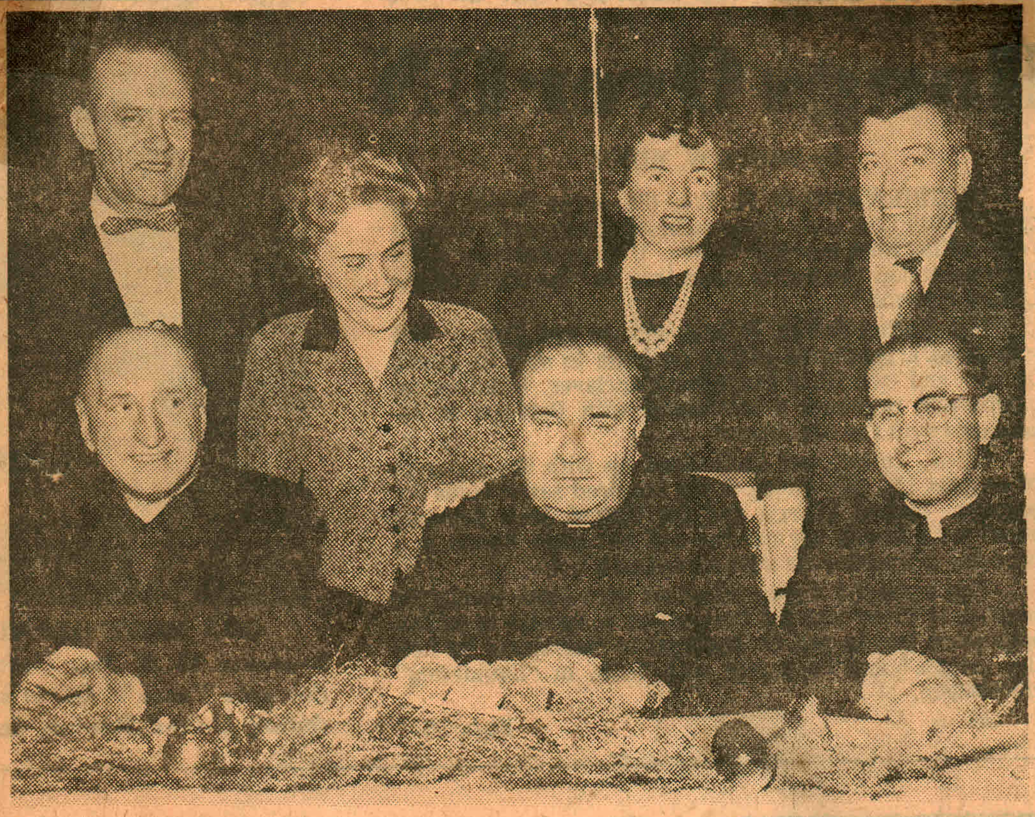

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Monday, December 4, 1961

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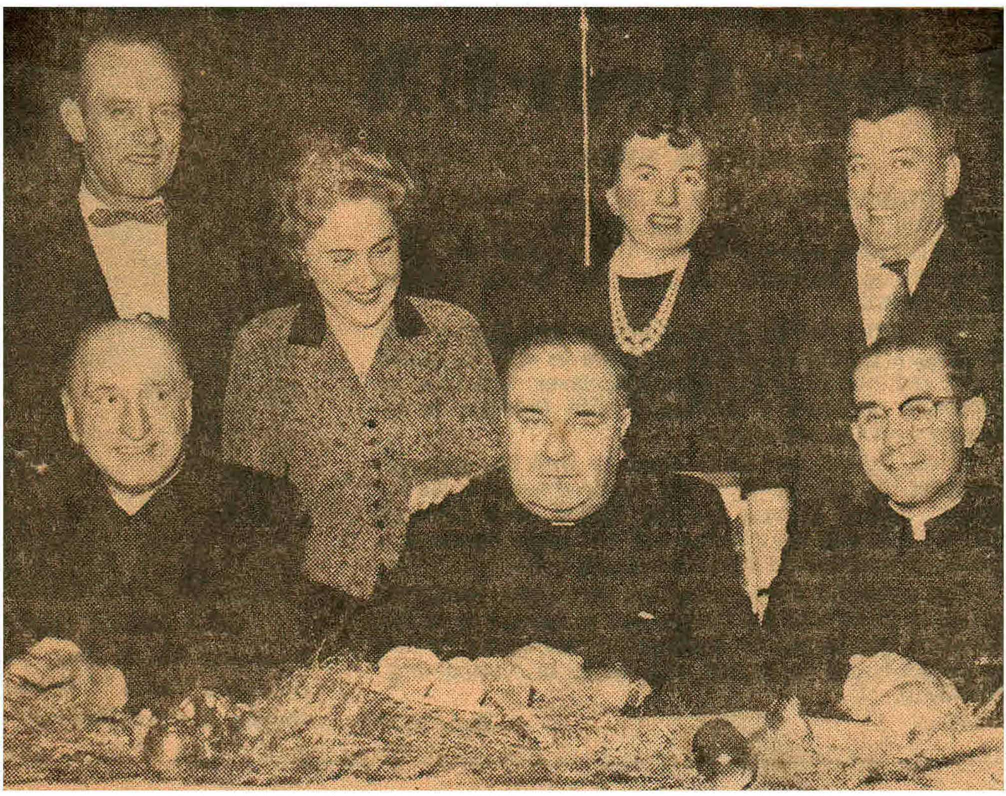

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Winners Listed For Benefit Card Party and Series

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St. Hedwig Parish Series Winners Awarded Prizes

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Second Card Party Winners Named

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St. Hedwig CYO Group Attends Sleigh Ride Party

A sleigh ride in Bedford furnished entertainment for 23 members of St. Hedwig Junior Division of the CYO.

Refreshments were served and dancing enjoyed.

Mrs. Bronislaw Prokuski and Mrs. Frank Dudziak were chaperones.

Communion Breakfast

and

Joint Installation of Officers

Saint Hedwige Post 1341

CATHOLIC WAR VETERANS and AUXILIARY

Sunday, October 15, 1961 at 10 A. M.

Pulaski Hall, 199 Manchester Street

Adult: Donation $1.50

MANCHESTER (N. H.) — Sunday, June 30, 1963

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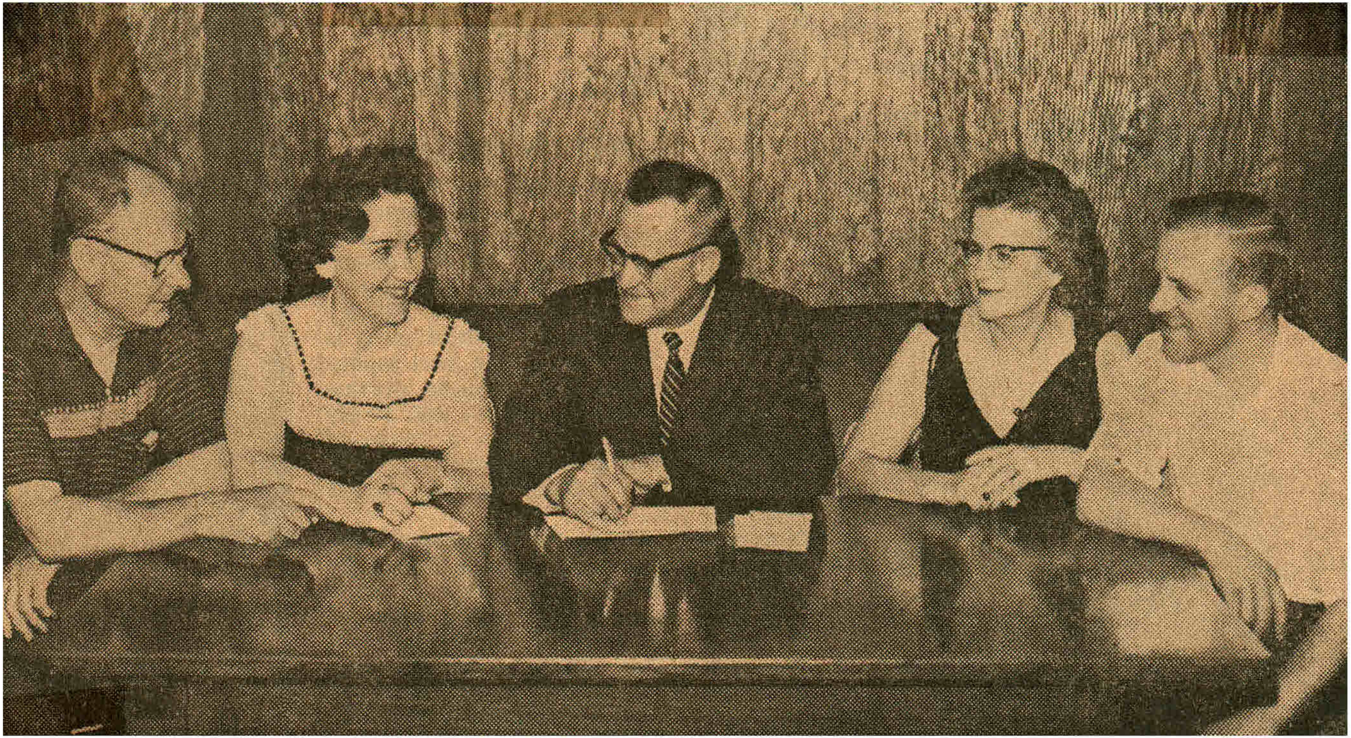

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MANCHESTER

SPIEWAKIEM CI JA JESTEM

Spiewakiem ci ja jestem,
Wesola spedzam dzni;
I lubie bardzo spiewac,
Jak kazdy z Was widzi.

Ja jestem wciaz wesoly,
U mnie smutku niema,
Wiec kto chce byc wesoly,
Ten zawsze niech spiewa.

CHORUS
Bom ja spiewakiem,
Jak ich nie malo.
Zawsze wesola mine mam,
Czy to do tanca, czy do rozanca,
Zawsze wam dobry przyklad dam.
Czy to do piwa, czy to do wina,
Na zawolanie piosenke mam.
Zawsze gotowy, i wyborowy,
Na miejscu ja wam zaspiewam.

Rodzice nieraz mowia,
Ze jestem wariat.
Ze tylko na spiewanie,
Przyszedlem na ten swiat.
Pedza mnie do roboty,
Mnie sie to nie widzi,
Nie wiedza ze bez spiewu
Ochoty braknie mi.
(Repeat above Chorus)

LET ME CALL YOU SWEETHEART
Let me call you sweetheart
I'm in love with you
Let me hear you wisper
That you love me too.
Keep the love light glowing
In your eyes so true
Let me call you sweetheart
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ZOSIA
Zosia, Zosia, Zosia izbe zamiatala
I Ma I Mas I Macieja zawolala
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HEART OF MY HEART
Heart of my heart, how I love that
melody, Heart of my heart, brings
back those memories. When we were
kids, on the corner of the square,
we were rough and ready guys, But
oh how we could harmonize so, Heart
of my heart, friends were dearer
then, too bad we had to part. Oh
how tears would glisten, if once
more I could listen, to that
gang that sang, Heart of my heart.

MIALA BABA KOGUTA
Miala baba koguta, koguta,
koguta, wsadzila go do buta, do
buta, hej! Oj! do brze ci
kogucie w tym bucie? Kogu cie
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BEER BARREL POLKA
Roll out the barrel, we'll have
a barrel of fun...Roll out the
barrel we've got the blues on
the run. Zing boom ta ra ta
ring out a song of good cheer...
Now's the time to roll the barrel
for the gang's all here.

PYTALA SIE PANI
Pytala sie pani, mlodego mlodego
doktora, Czy lepiej jesc zrana,
czy lipiej z wieczora.
Wszystkie rybki spia w je ziorz
tui rara, tui ra ra ra, Moja
pani spac nie moze, tui ra ra,
tui ra ra ra.

OH JOHNNY
Oh Johnny, Oh Johnny, how you
can love. Oh Johnny, Oh Johnny
heavens above. You make my poor
heart jump with joy. And when
you're near I just can't sit still
a minute, I'm so--Oh Johnny, Oh
Johnny please tell me dear What
makes me love you so?? You're
not handsome it's true, but,
when I look at you, I just--Oh
Johnny, Oh Johnny Ohhhhhh.

JAK SZYBKO MIJAJA CHWILE
Jak szybko mijaja chwile
Jak szybko plynie czas (2)
Za rok za dzien za chwile
Razem nie bedzie nas (2)
A kiedy mlode lata
poplyna szybko w dal (2)
A w sercu pozostanie
Teksnota smutek zal (2)

I WANT A GIRL
I want a girl just like the girl
that married dear old dad. She
was a pearl and the only girl,
that daddy ever had. A real old
fashion girl with heart so true,
One who loves nobody else but you
I want a girl, just like the ----

April 23, 1961

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St. Cecila's Choir

EIGHTH ANNUAL CONVENTION

PROGRAM

2:00 Registration of choirs in school

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5:30 Buffet Lunch

6:15 Meeting of Choir Presidents

7:00 Dancing--Polka Dot's

CHOIR FESTIVAL

CHOIRS

Haverhill--Saint Michael's Choir

Hyde Park--Saint Adalbert's Choir

Peabody--Saint Joseph's Choir

South Boston--Saint Mary's Choir

Lawrence--Saint Cecila's Choir

Manchester--Saint Hedwig's Choir

Lynn--Saint Cecila's Choir

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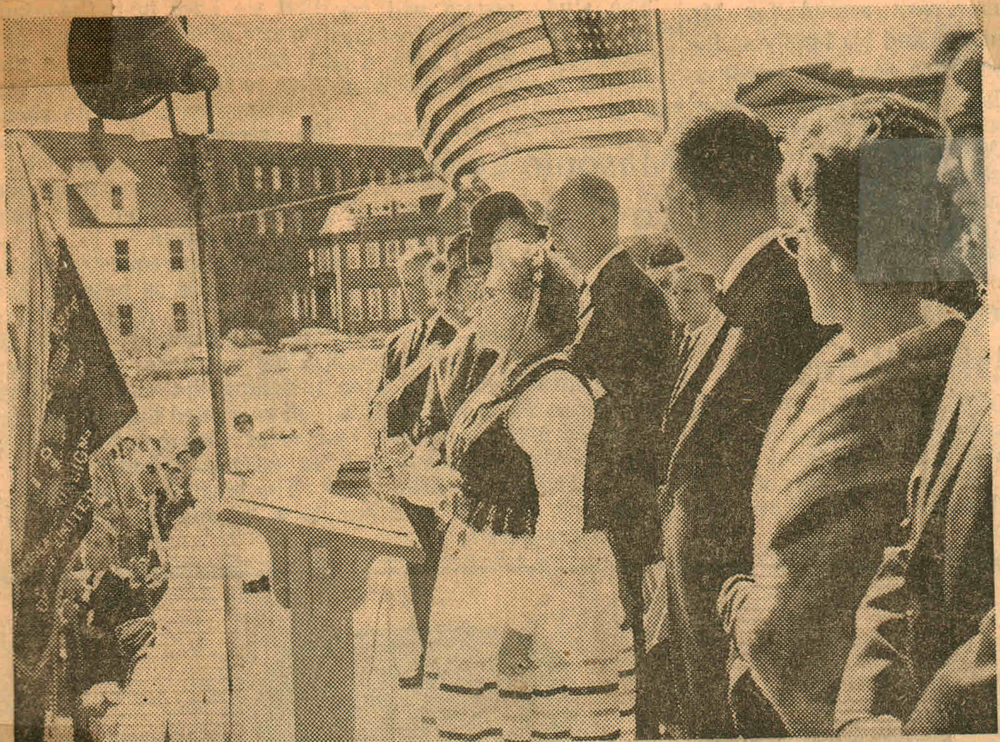

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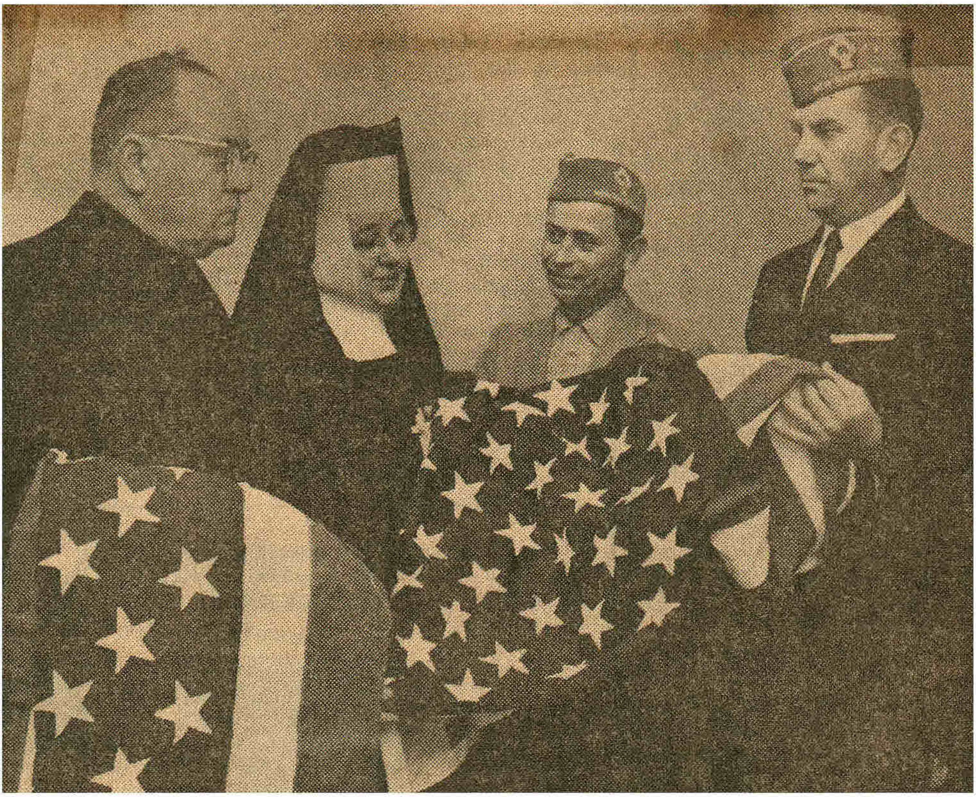

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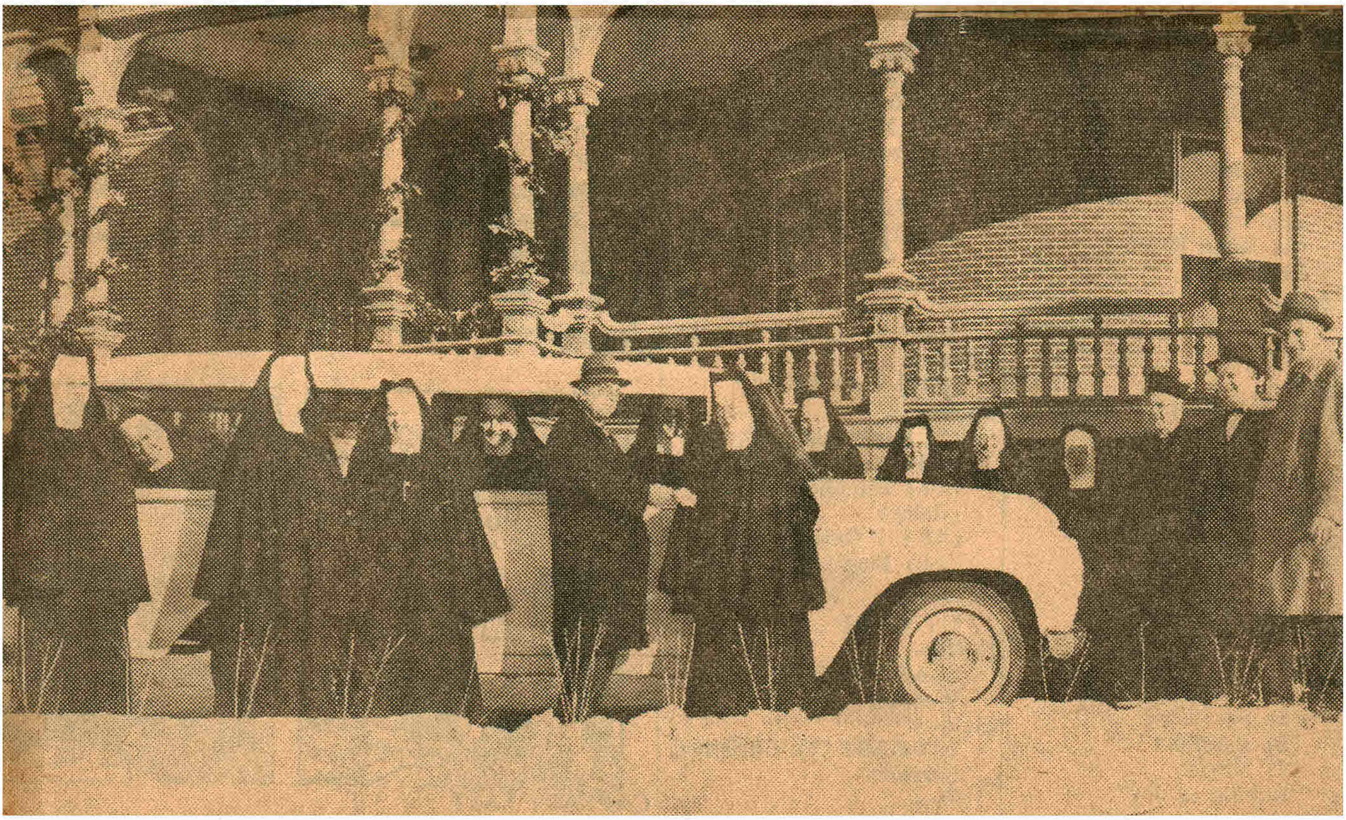

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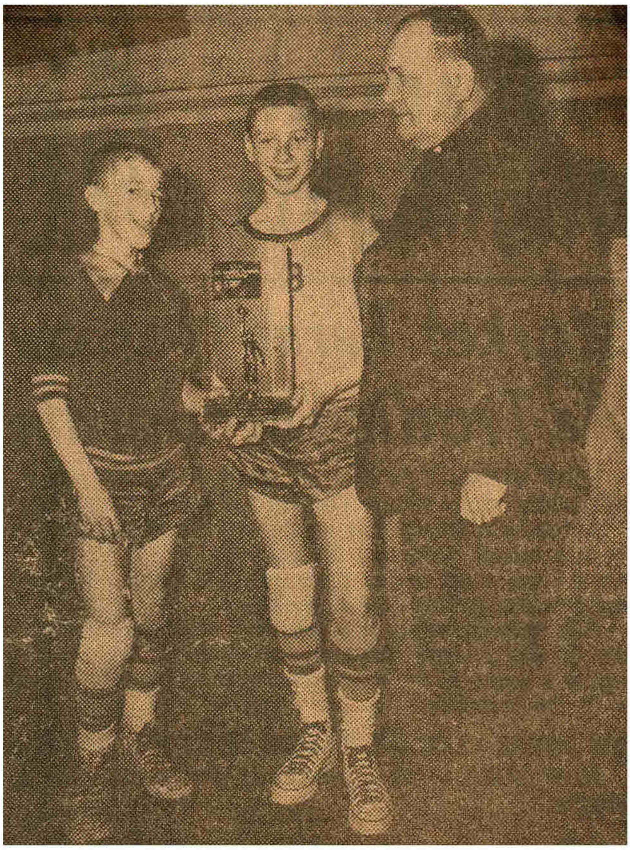

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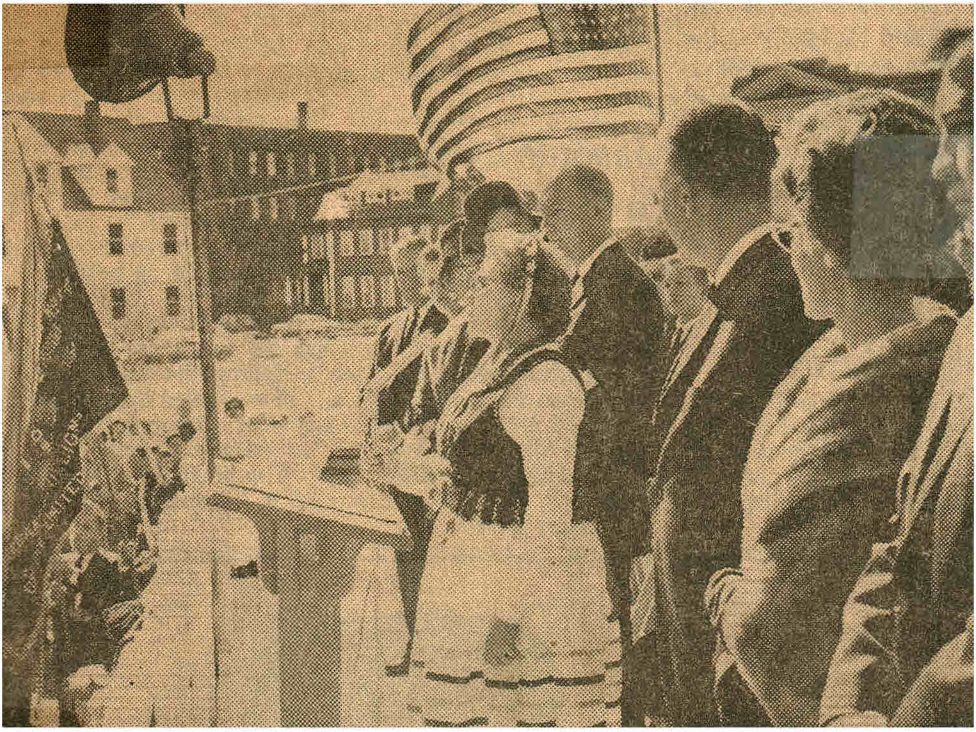

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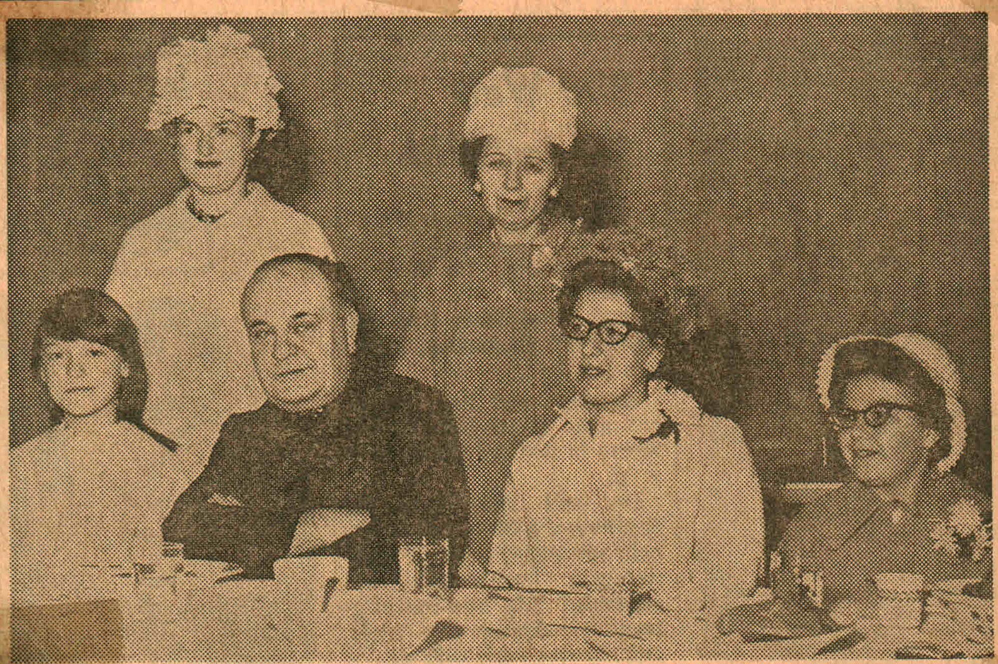

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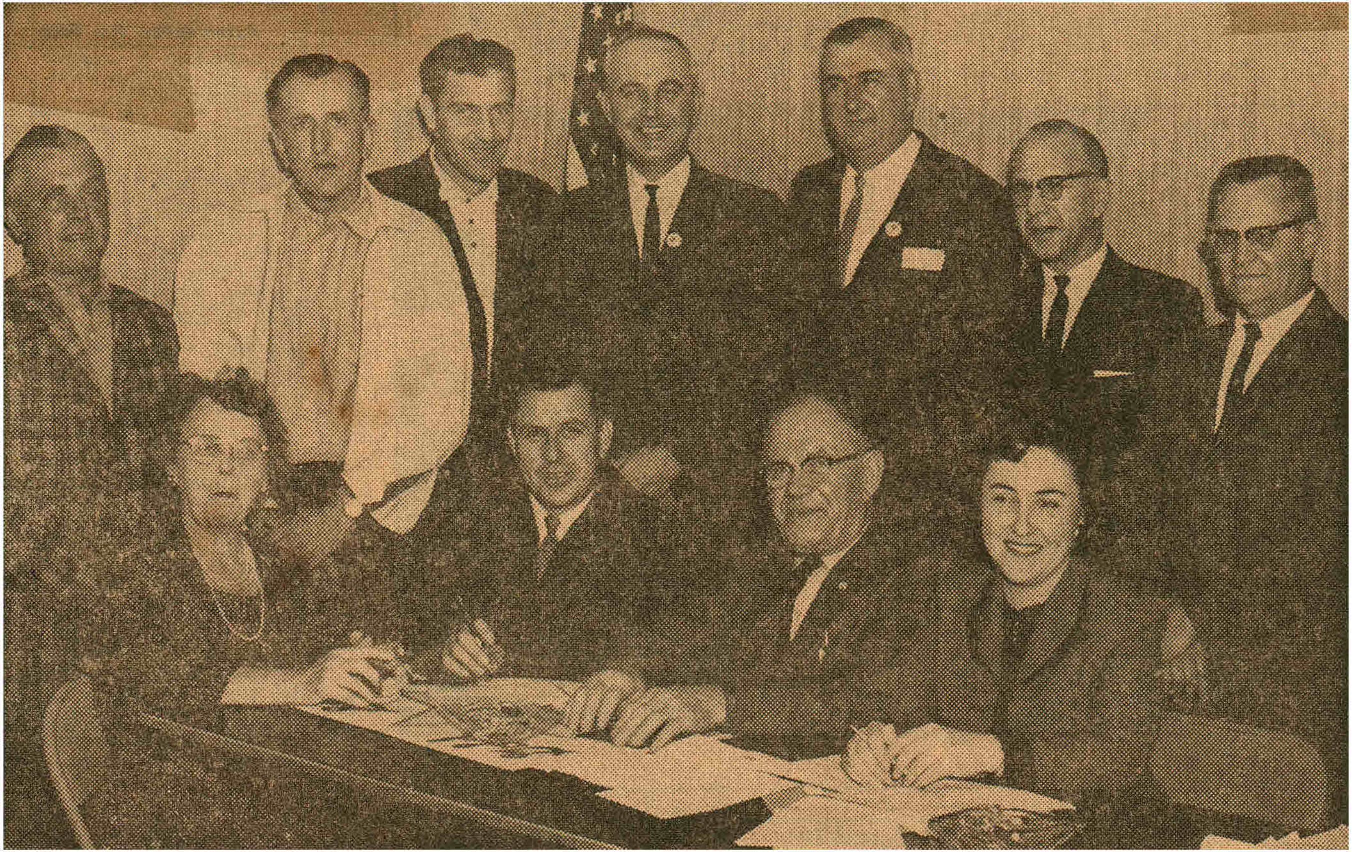

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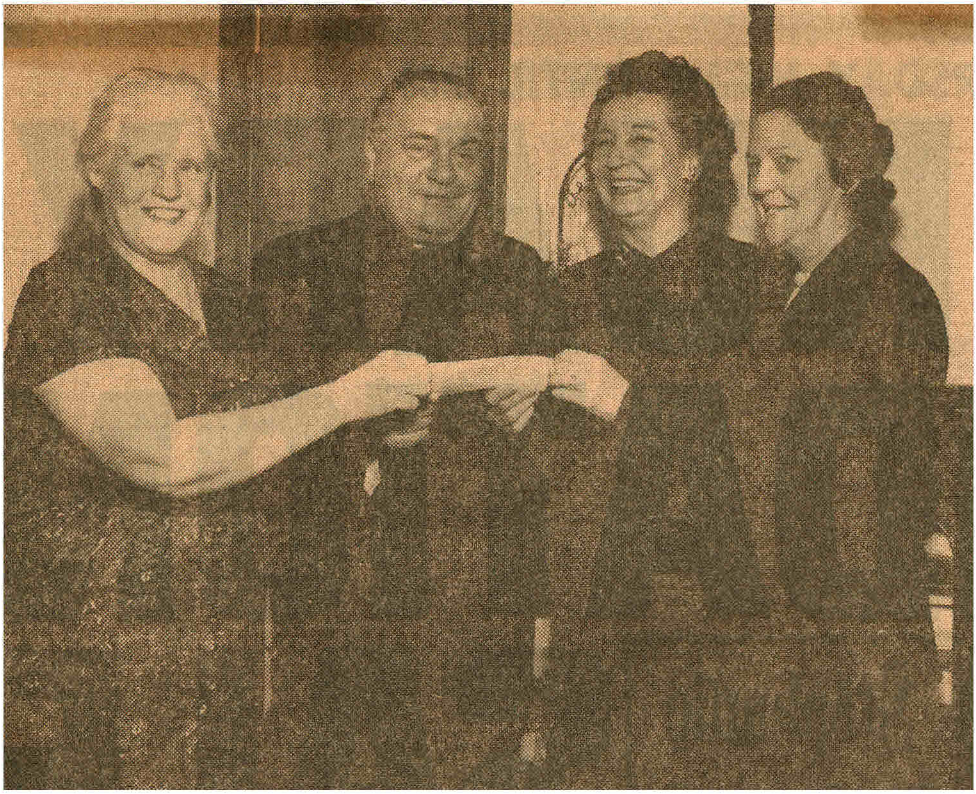

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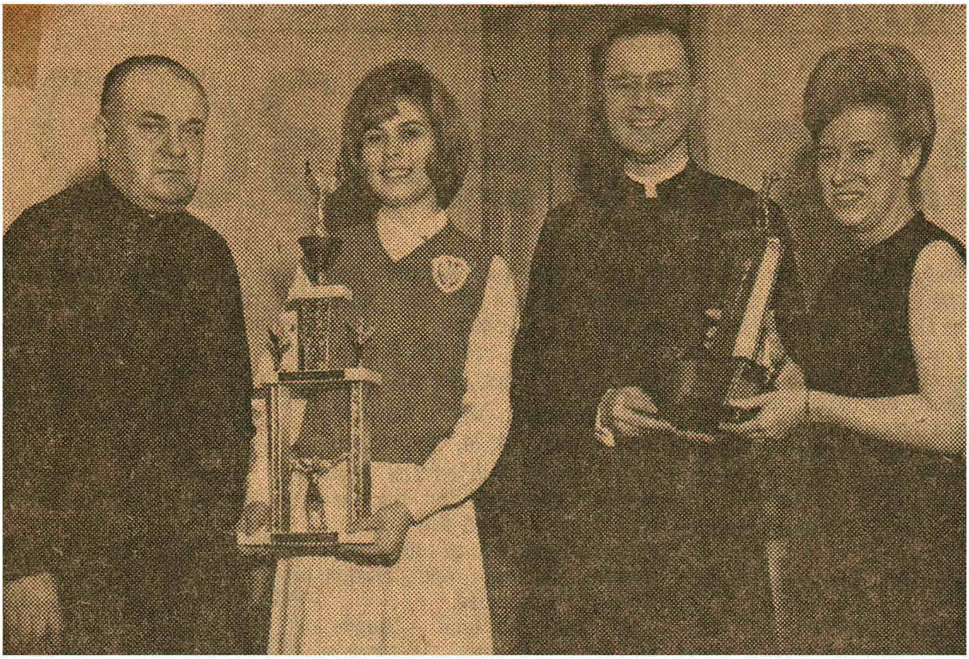

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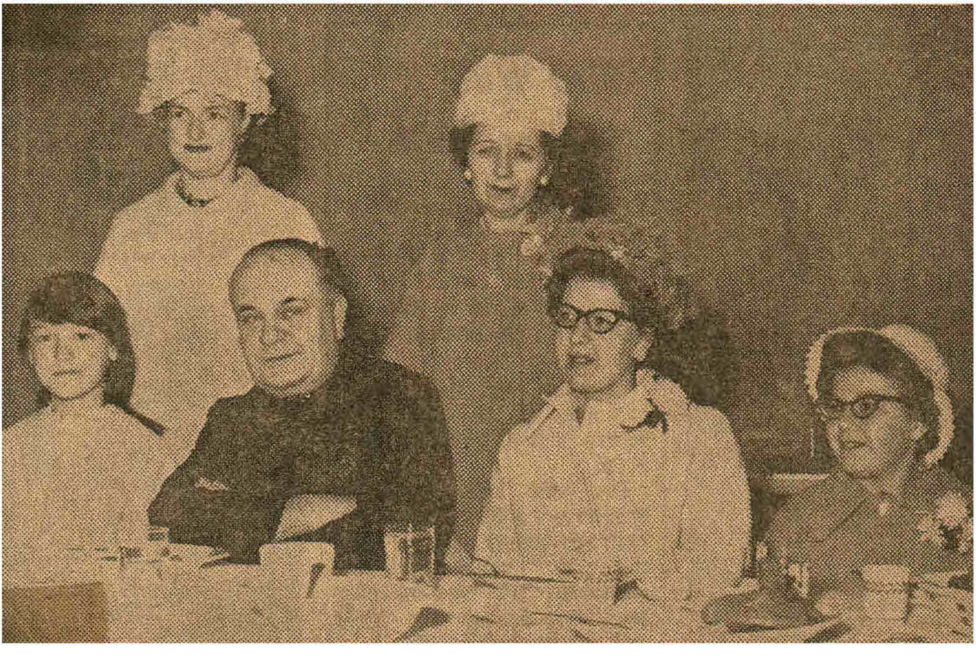

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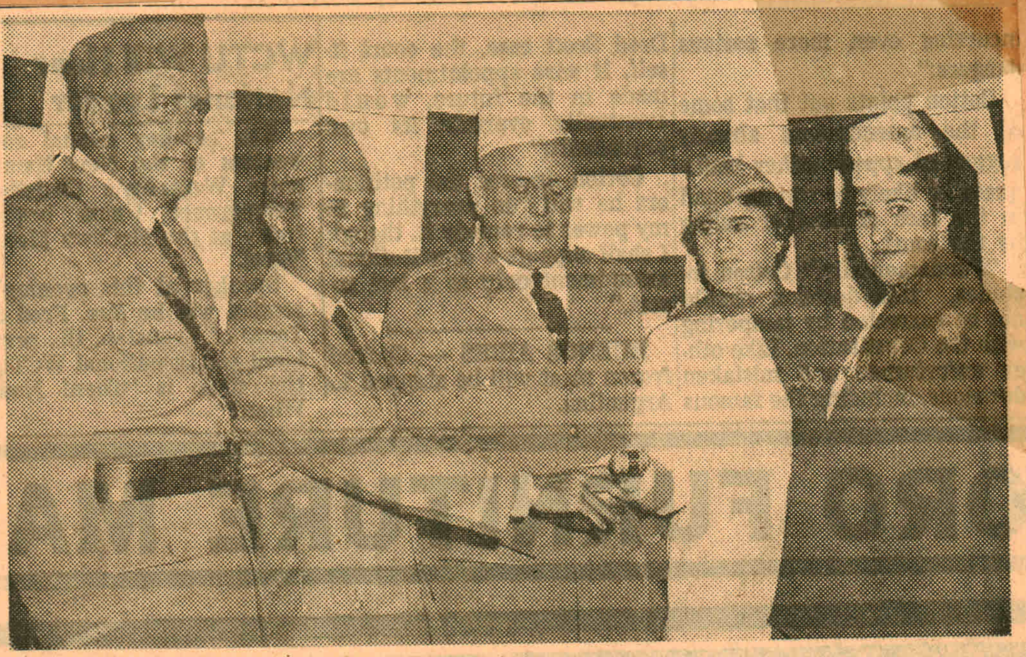

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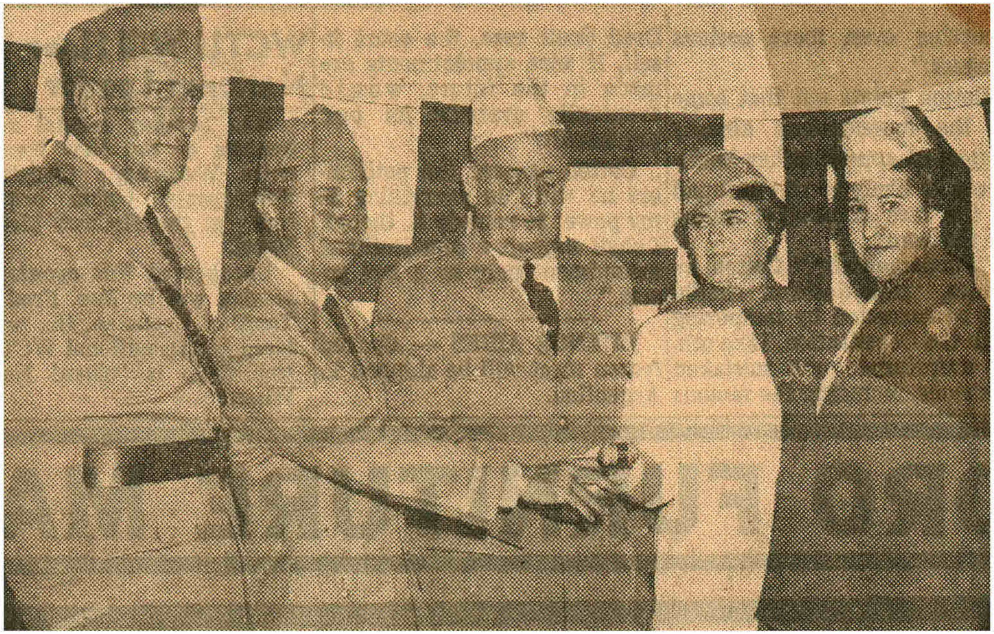

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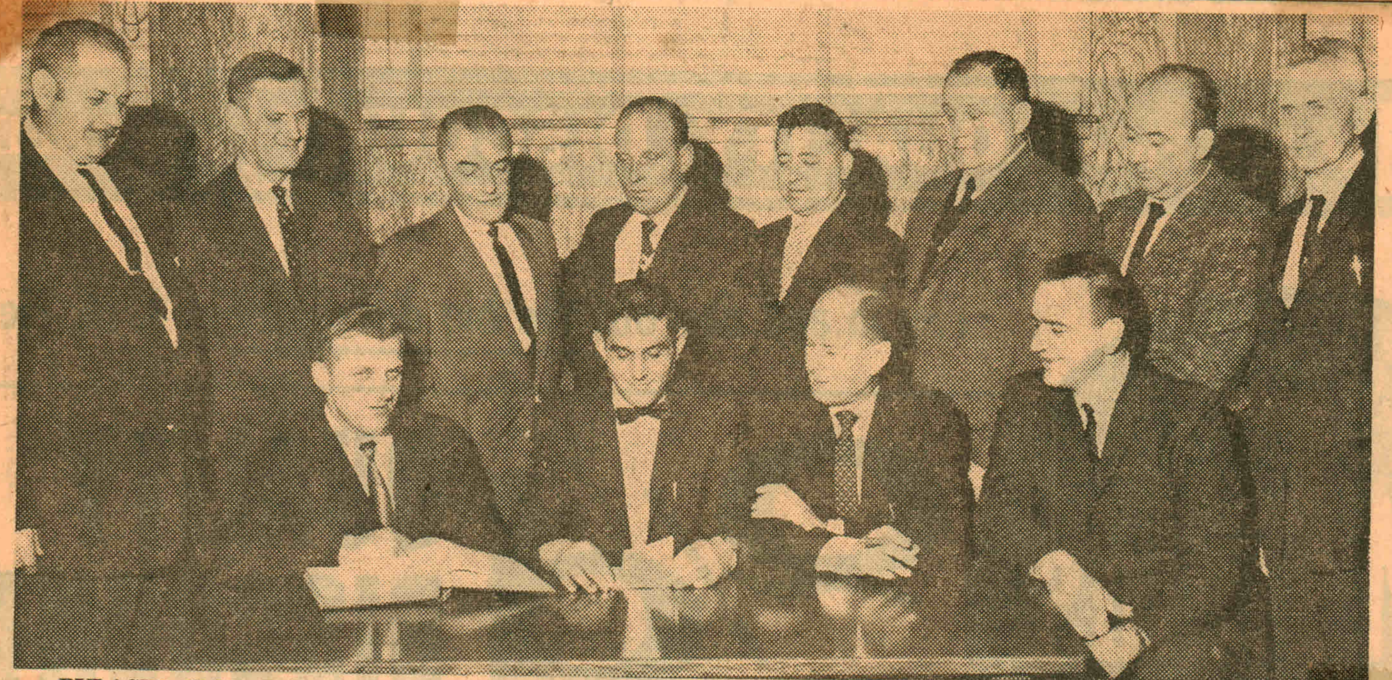

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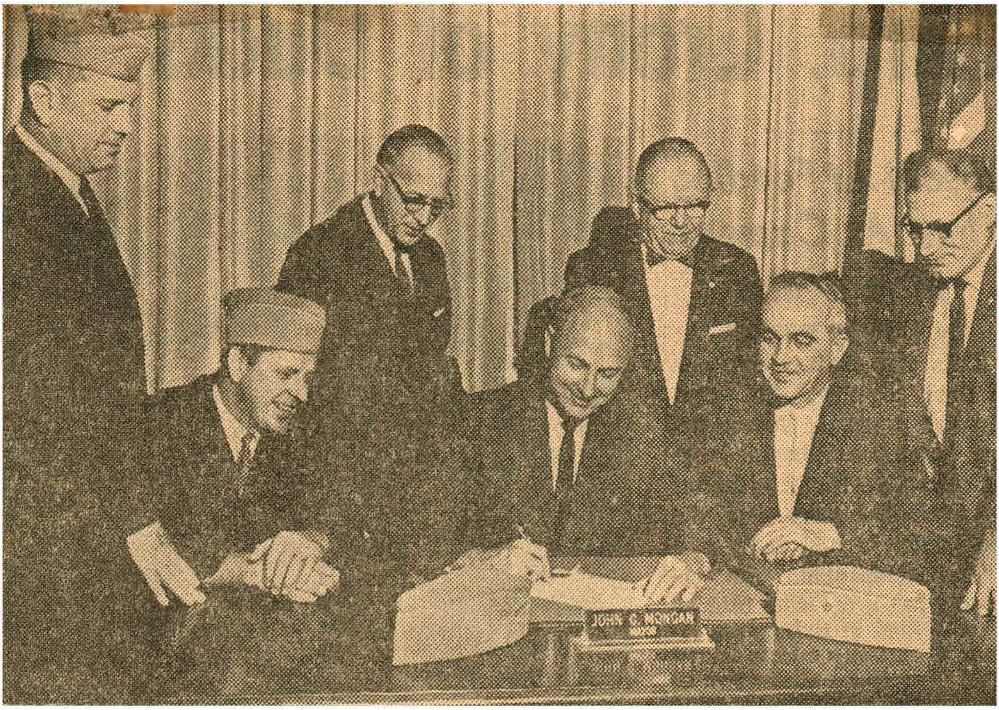

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Manchester and state residents of Polish descent will conduct a two-day ceremony in Manchester, Oct. 12 and 13, in observance of Pulaski Day and the 25th anniversary of the unveiling of the Pulaski Monument on Bridge Street.

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Following the program in the park, a banquet will be held in Pulaski Hall, which will include dinner music, entertainment and speeches. Alexander Kalinsky, assistant N. H. attorney general, will be the toastmaster. The special guest speaker will be Congressman Dulski.

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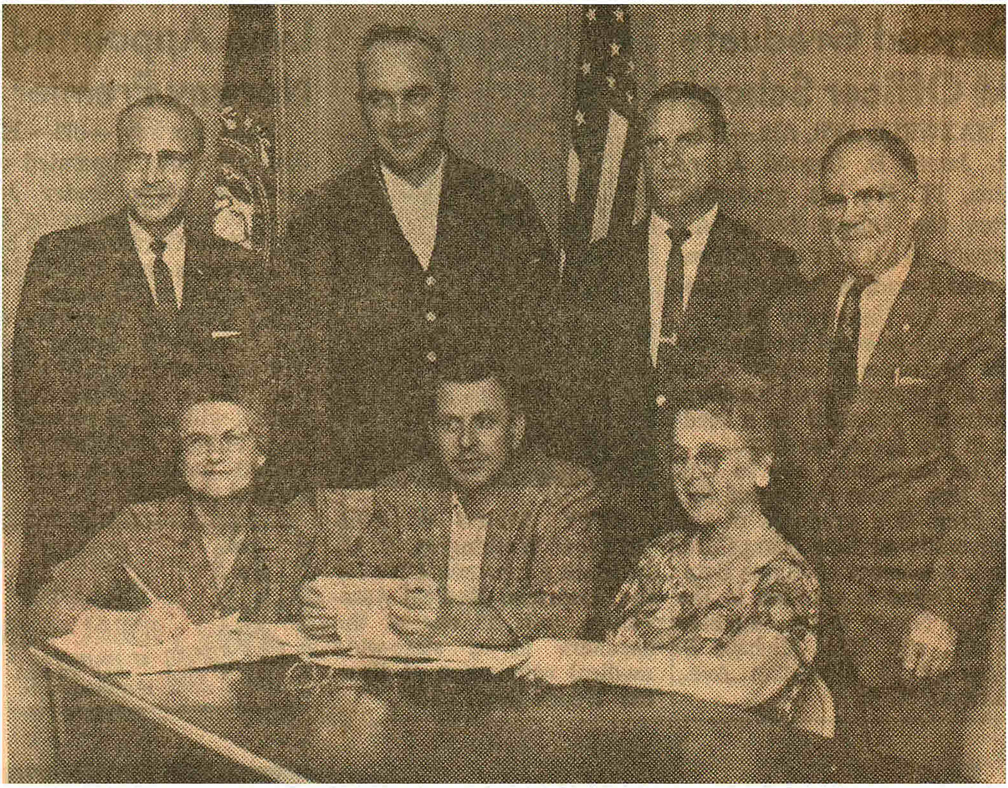

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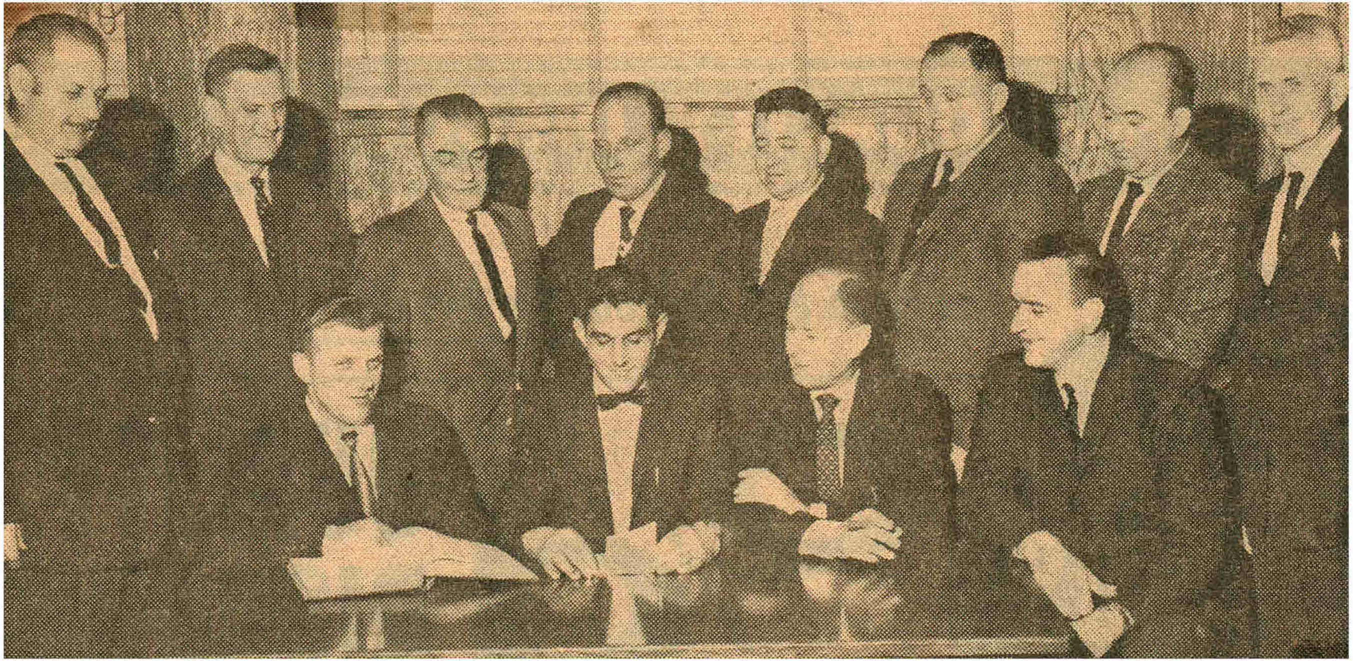

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Smorgasbord Proves Most Successful

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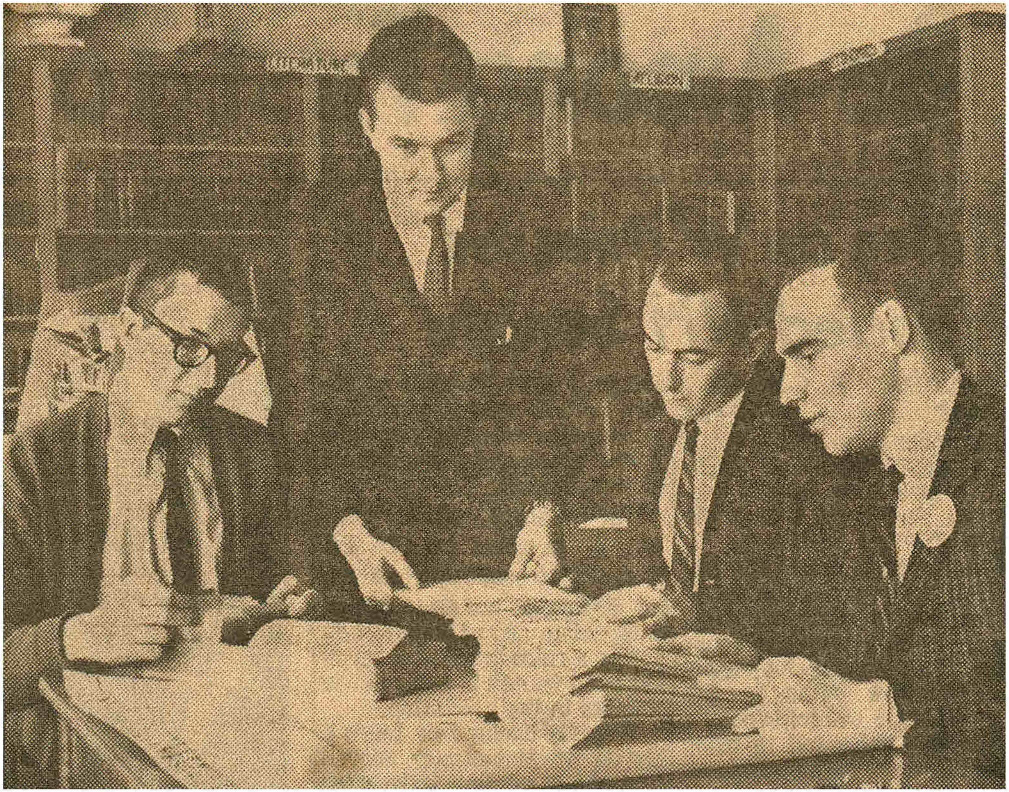

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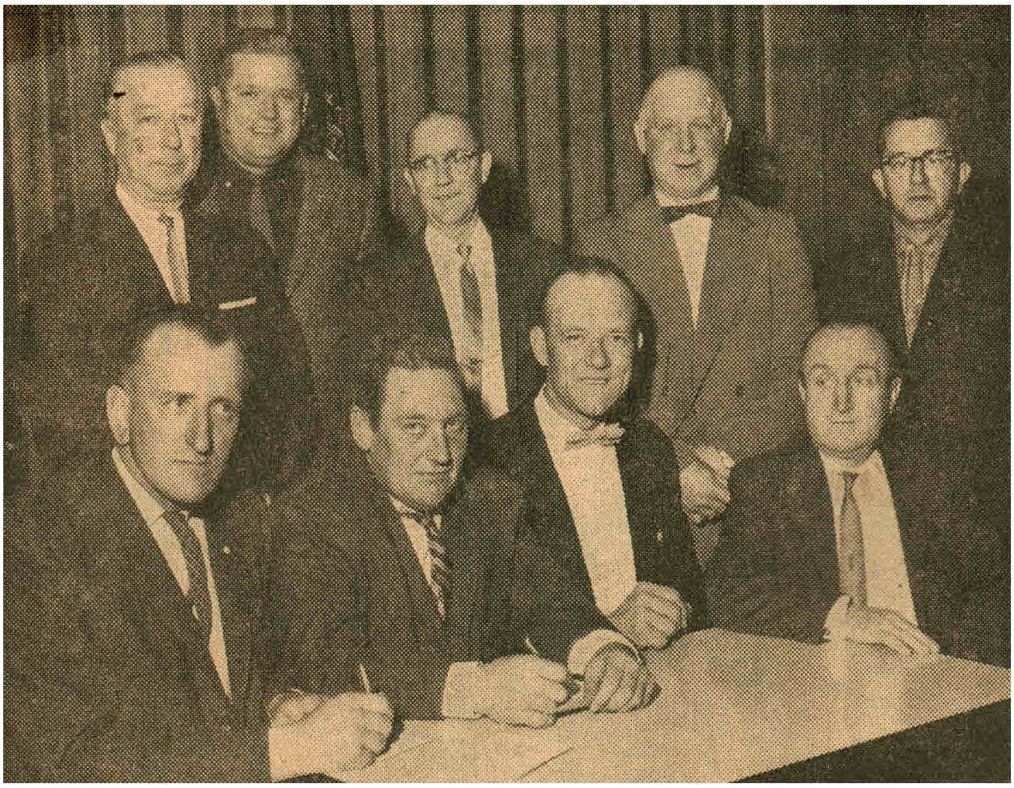

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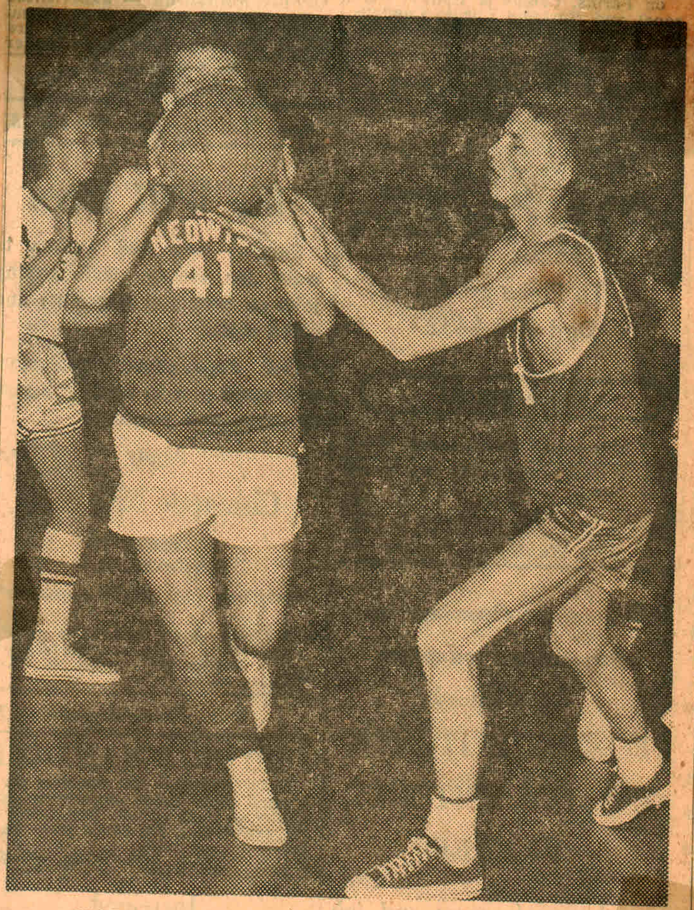

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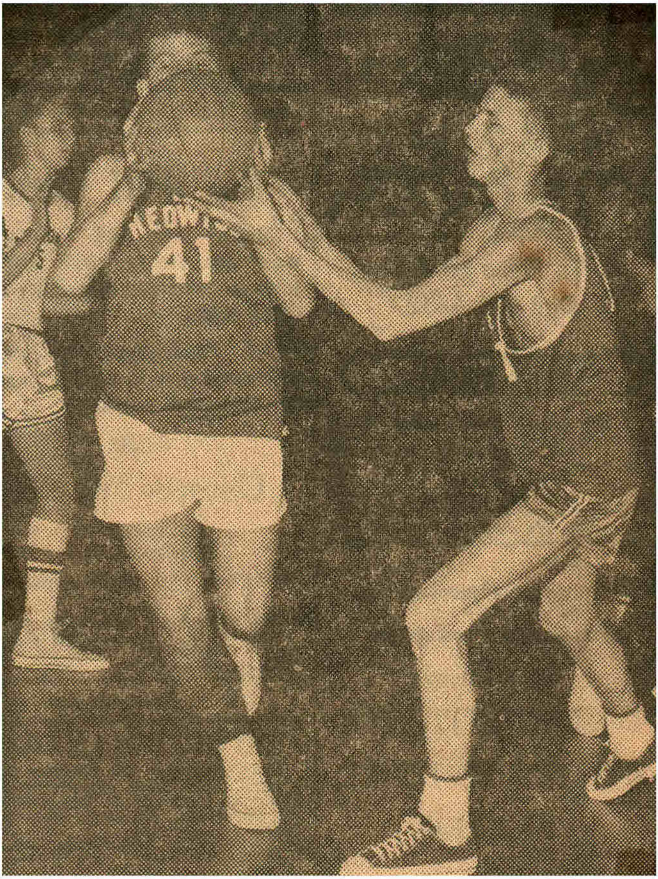

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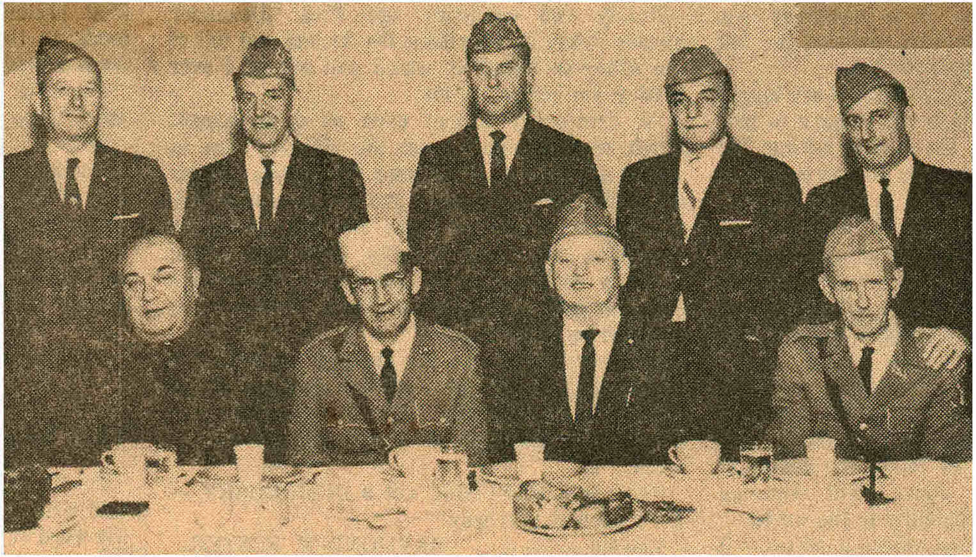

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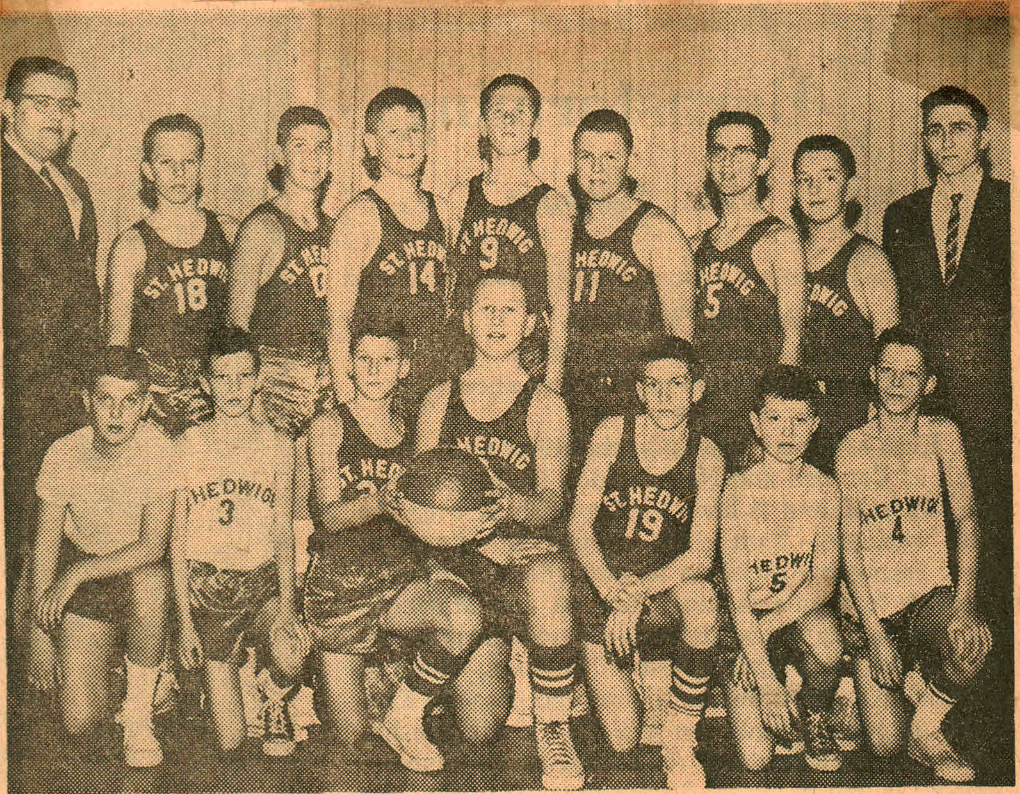

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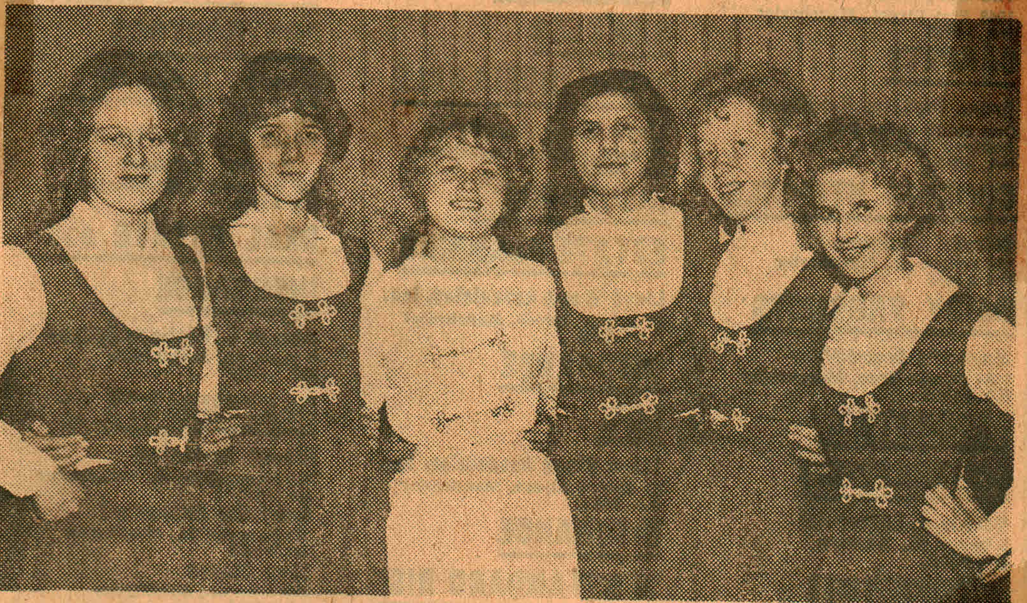

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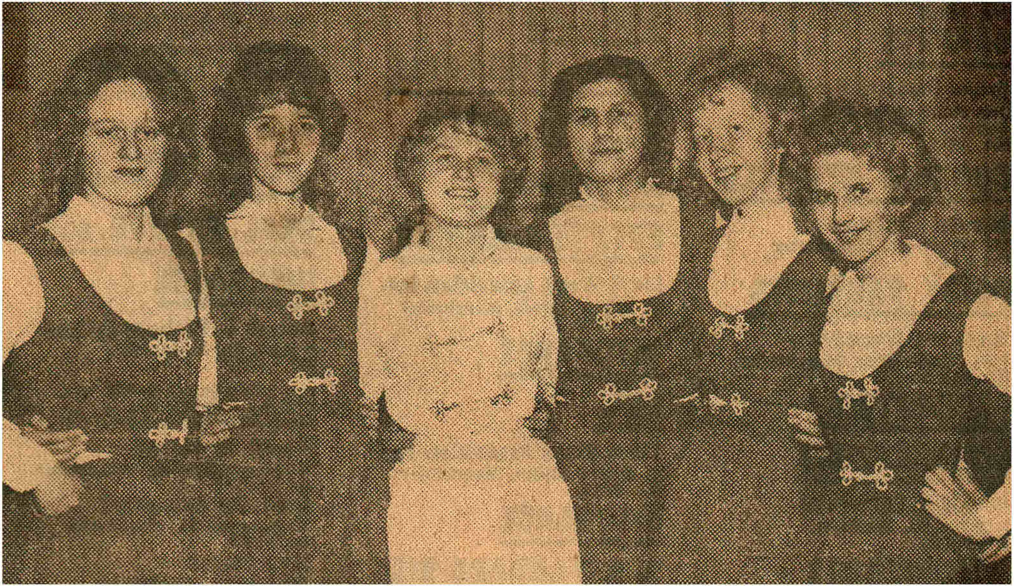

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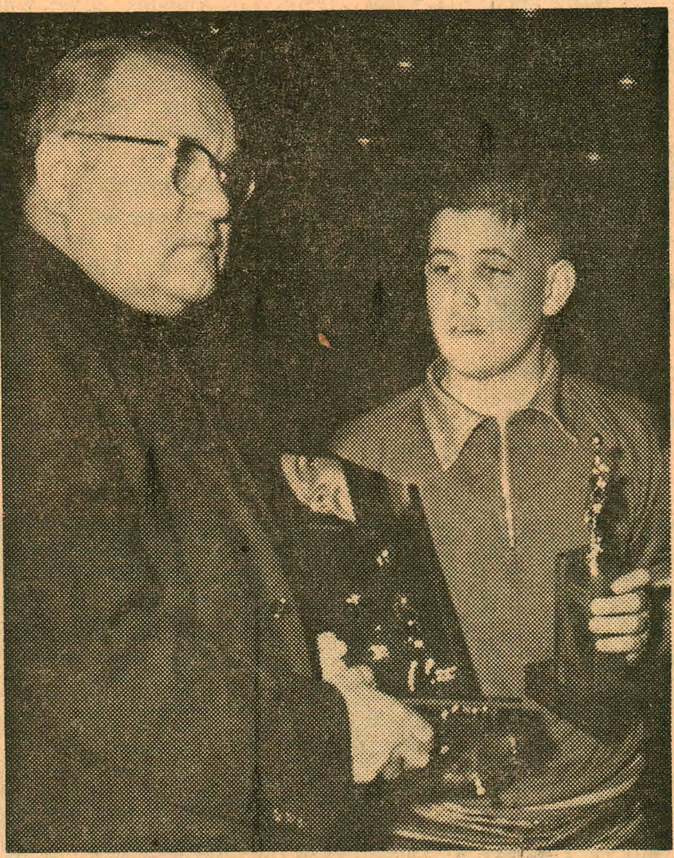

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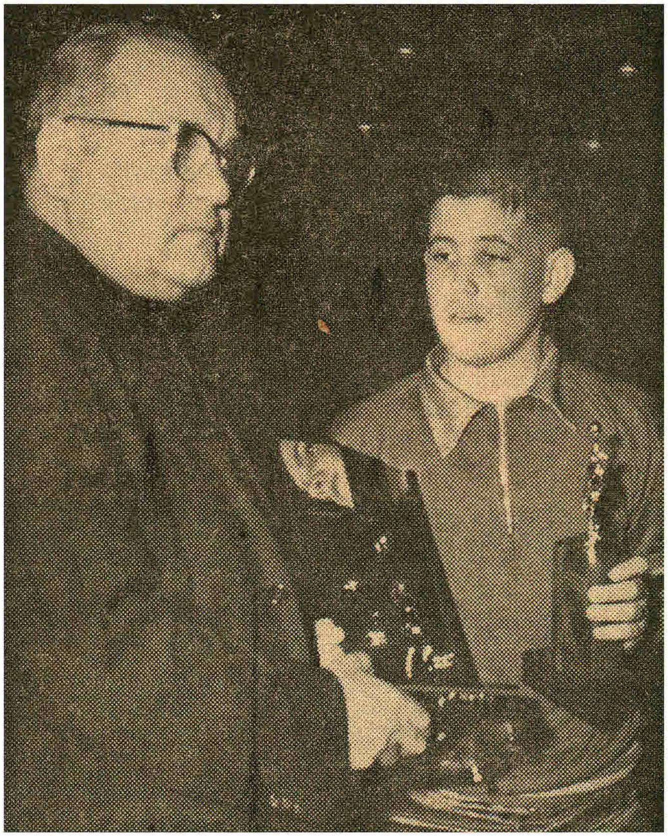

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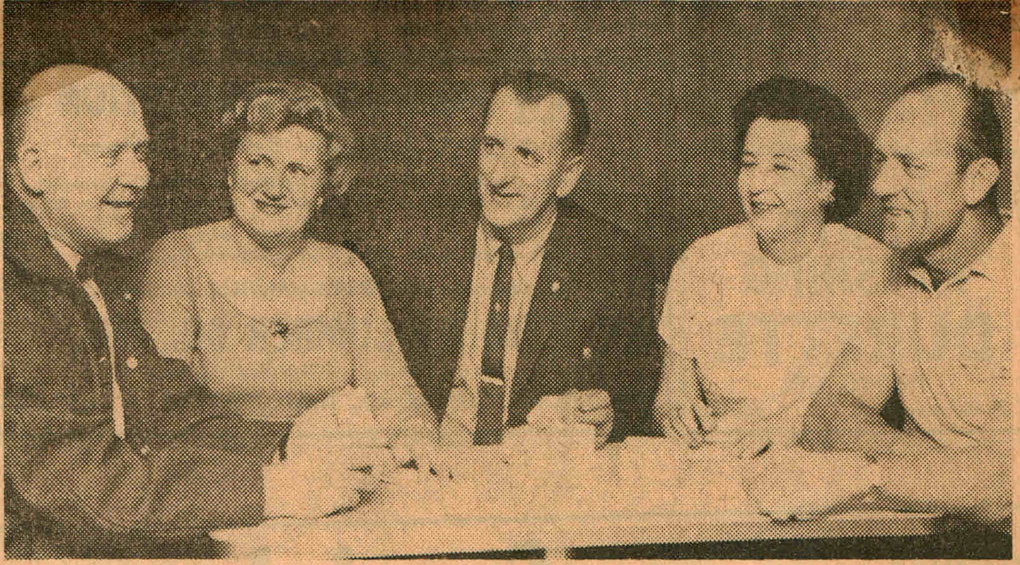

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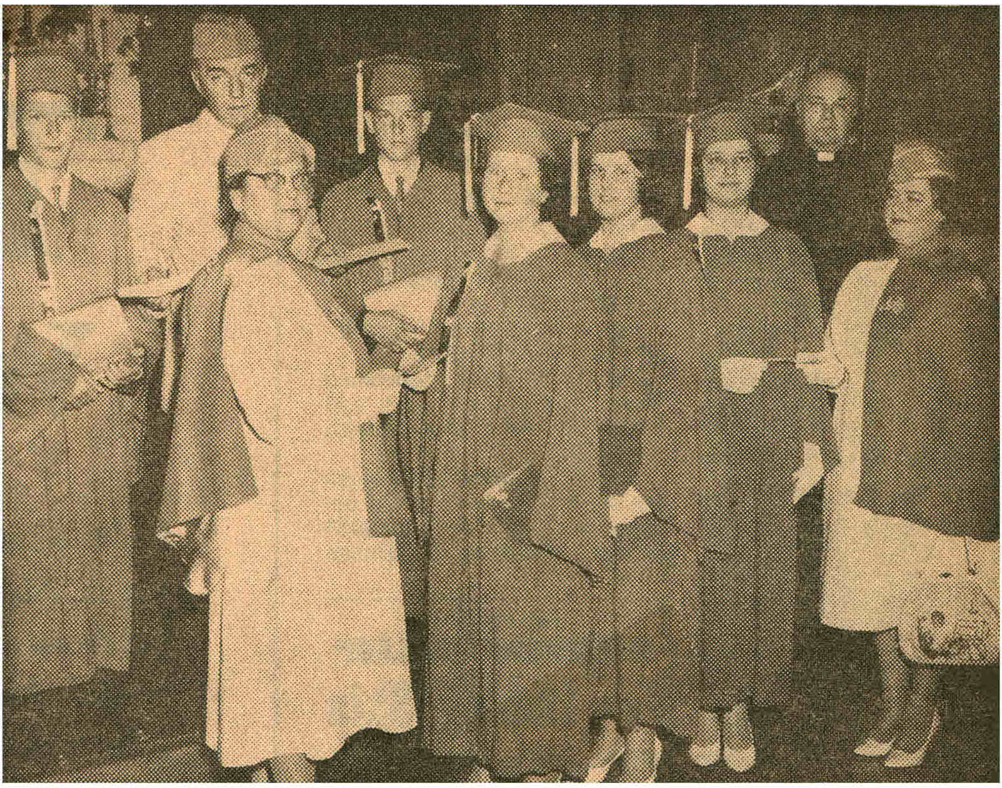

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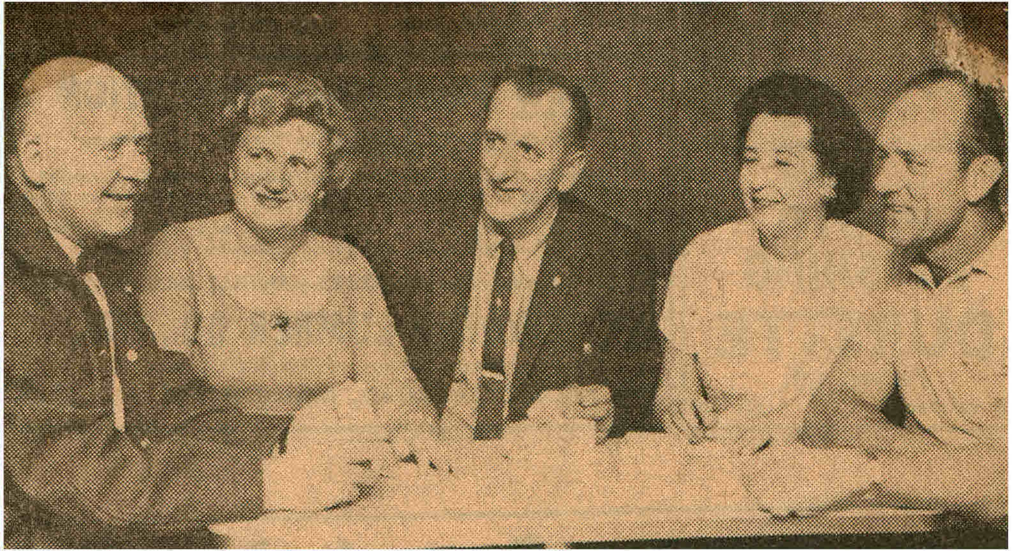

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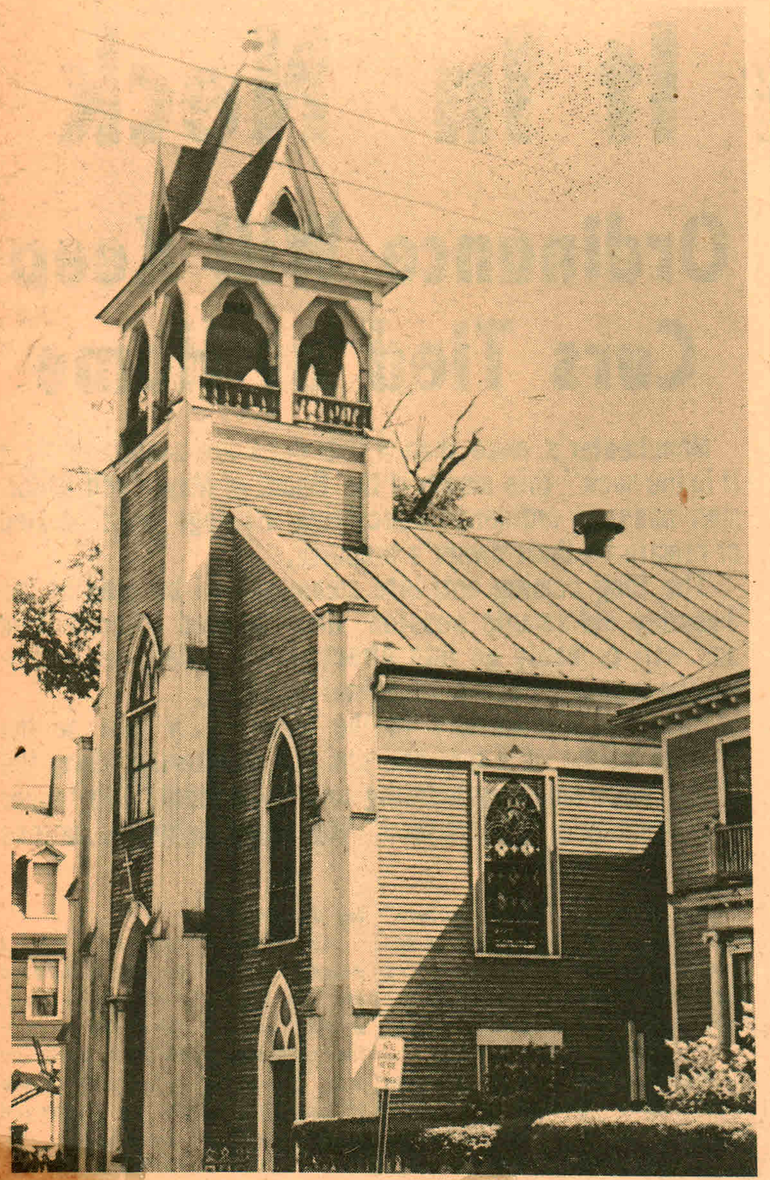

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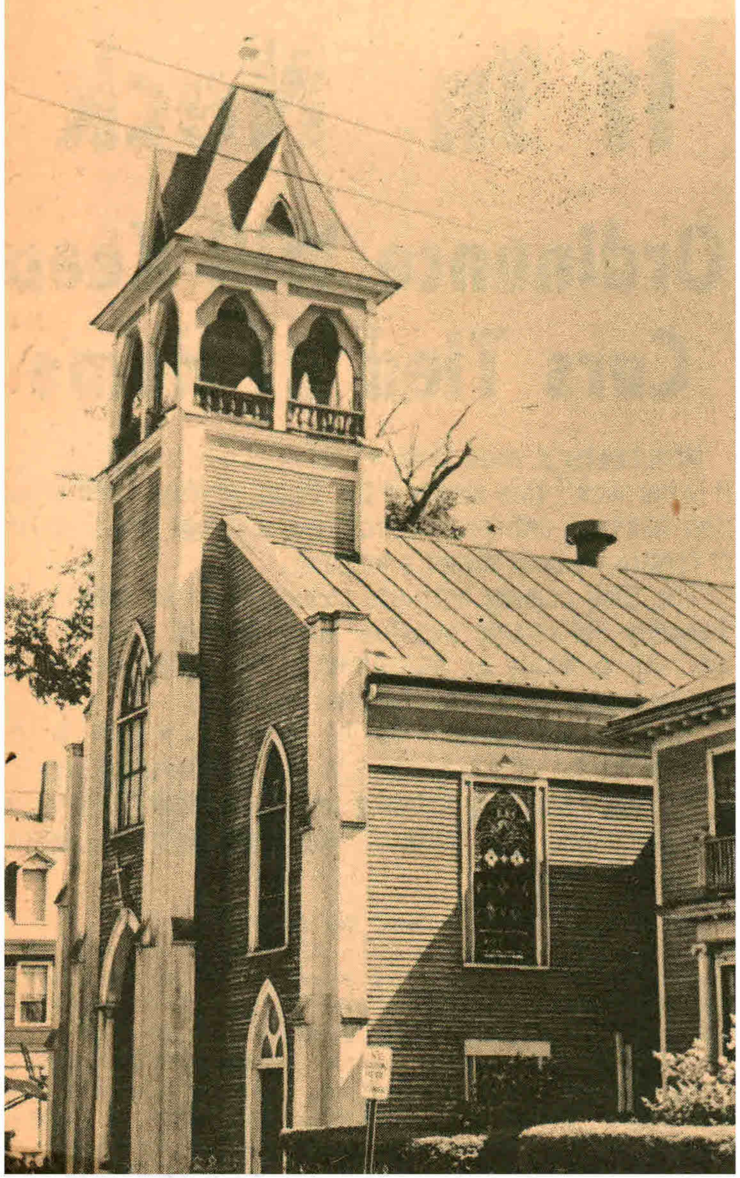

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Mark Pulaski Monument Anniversary

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(Photos by George Naum)

Stirring Talks, Parade Feature Colorful Rites

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The 25th anniversary of the dedication of the Gen. Casimir Pulaski monument here was observed Sunday afternoon with a colorful parade and a speaking program at Pulaski Park.

Heading the list of dignitaries were Mayor John C. Mongan, U. S. Rep. Louis C. Wyman, Executive Councilor Emile Simard, who read a proclamation by Gov. John W. King, Robert Philbrick of Milford, Hillsborough County Democratic chairman, who represented U. S. Sen. Thomas J. McIntyre and Rt. Rev. Joseph Soltysiak of Holy Trinity Cathedral.

Also participating in the program were Eugene Wisz, Mrs. Helen Kokoszka and Miss Matilda M. Bykowski, soloists; Joseph Berdechowski, president of the committee, and the John J. Gladysz Band.

A parade from the Pulaski Club, west on Manchester Street, north on Elm Street to Bridge Street and East on Bridge to the park preceded the program.

Also singled out for honors were members of the committee representing various Polish organizations throughout the state and Joseph Gladysz, who headed the Gen. Casimir Pulaski Memorial Committee in 1937-38.

Colorful Costumes

A wreath was placed at the base of the statue by Mayor Mongan and another wreath was placed by Polish-American children dressed in colorful costumes.

Immediately following the program at the park a banquet was held at Pulaski Hall.

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Suchecki outlined the life of Count Casimir Pulaski, who not only acquired a hero's reputation in his native Poland but also shaped history in this country under Gen. George Washington. He died while trying to capture Savannah. Ga., in 1779.

Magnificent monuments to his memory, have been erected in Washington, Savannah, Ga., and here in Manchester, where a bronze equestrian statue created by the late Lucien Gosselin of Manchester, stands in Pulaski Park.

Mrs. Leona Gosselin, widow of the sculptor, attended the anniversary program. In every state of the Union can be found a county, town, street, highway, square, bridge or school named for the Revolutionary warrior who was sometimes called the undaunted Soldier of Liberty.

U. S. Must Stay Strong

Wyman, who also spoke at the banquet, said "the problem in the country is "how to stay strong."

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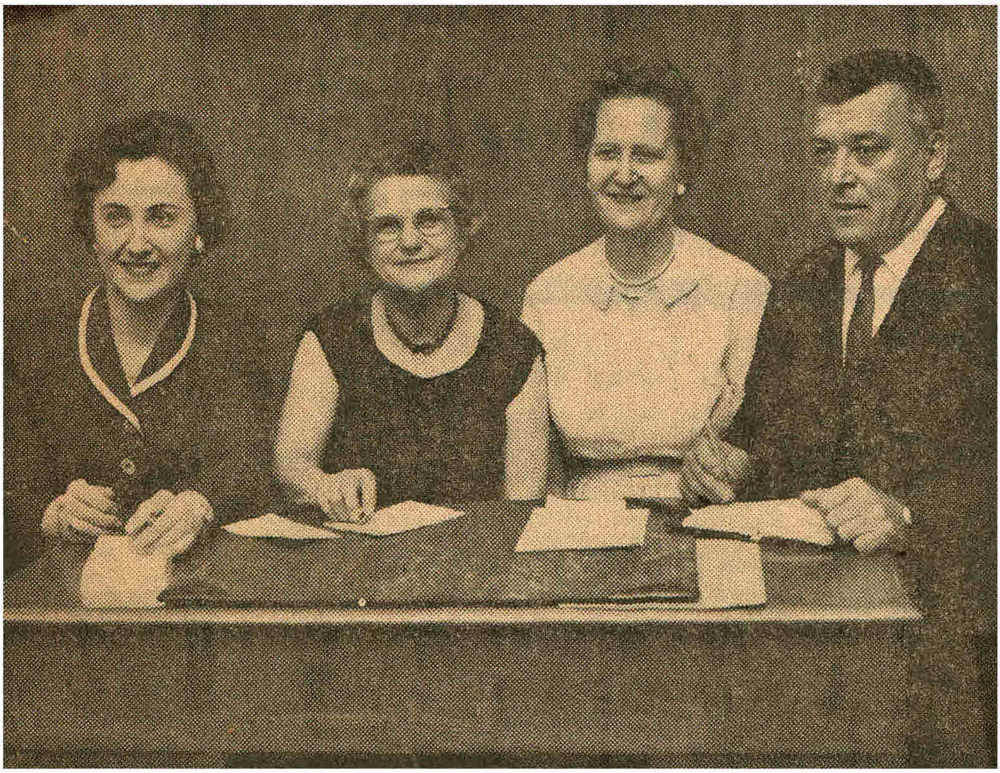

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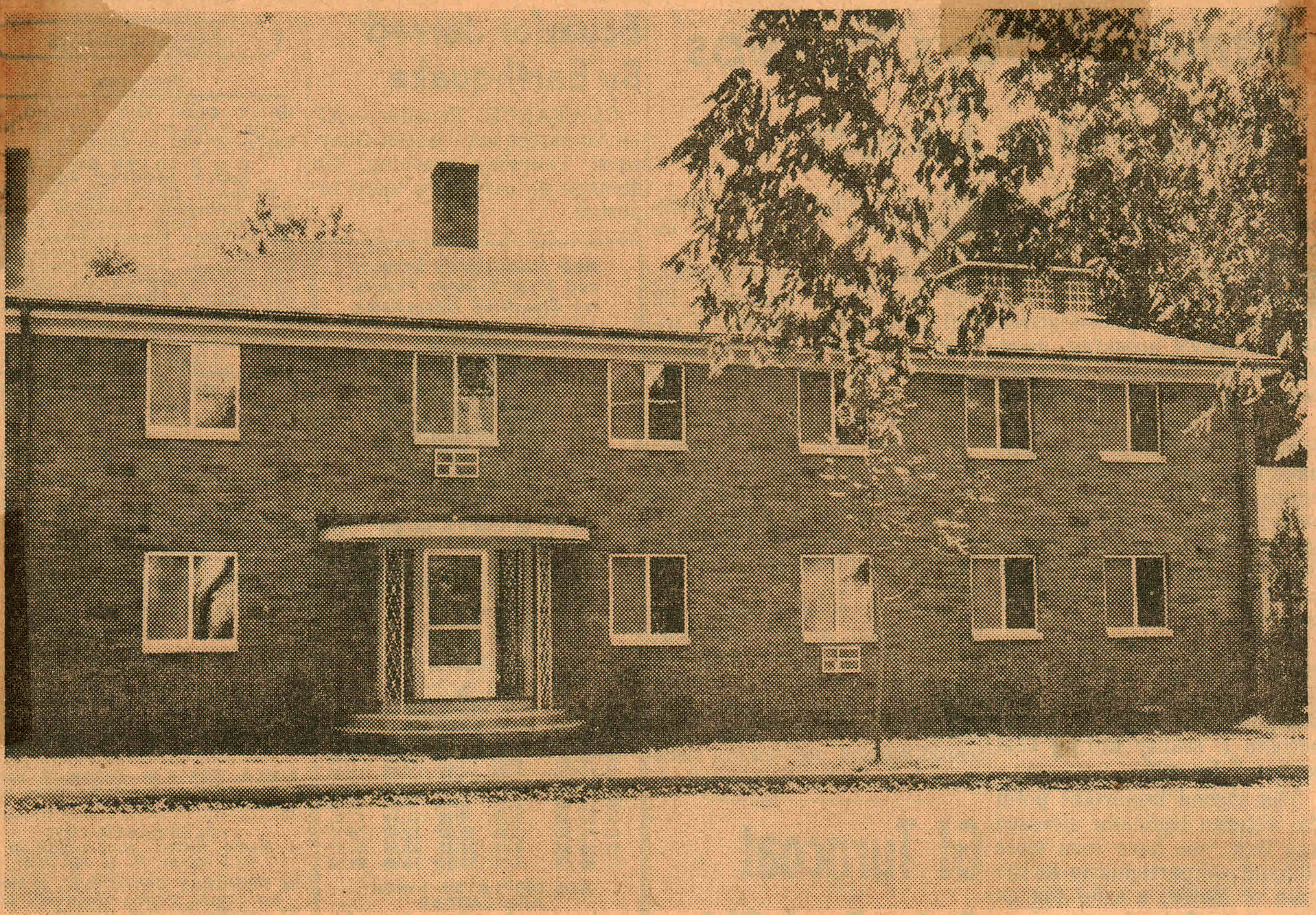

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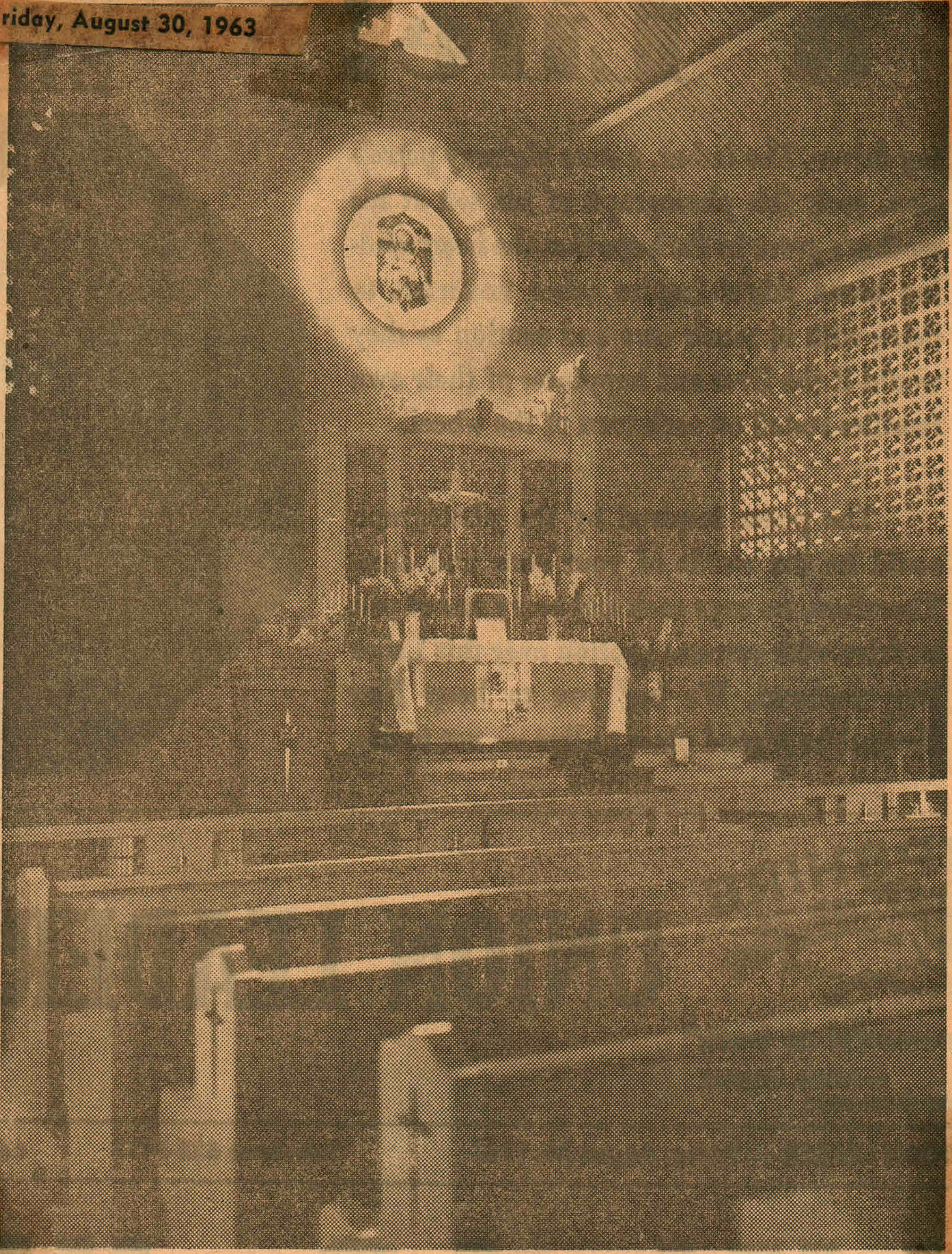

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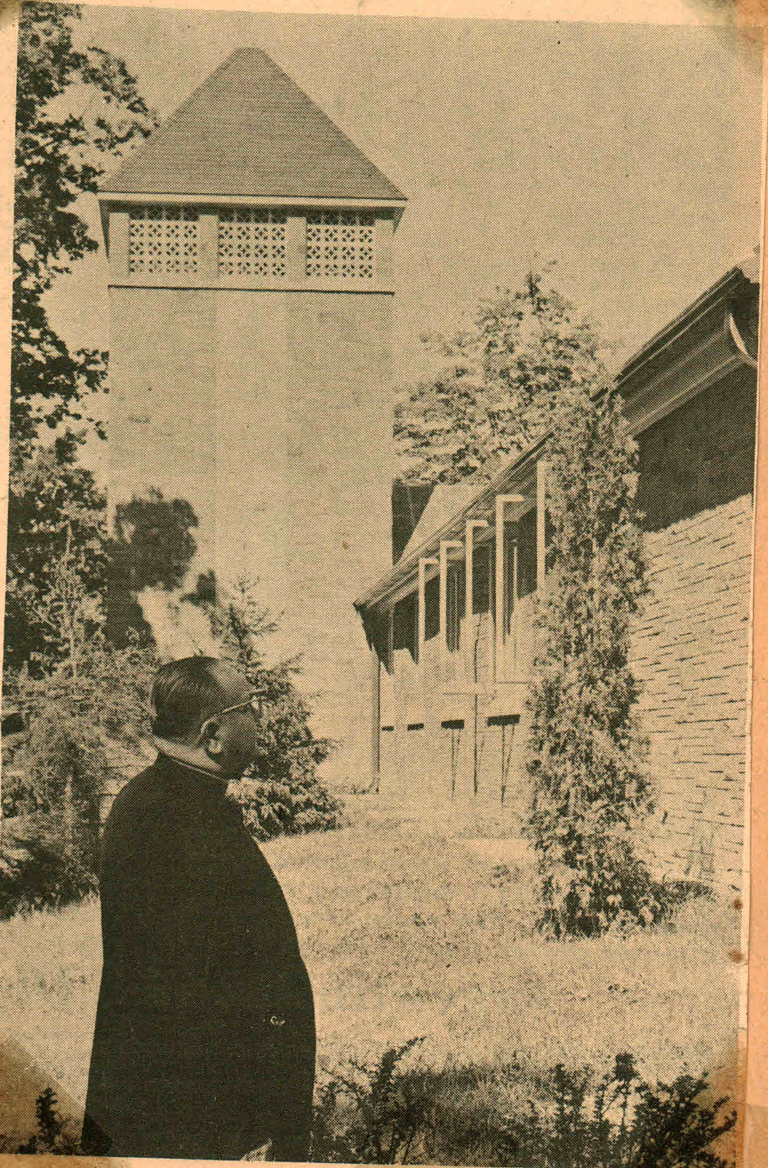

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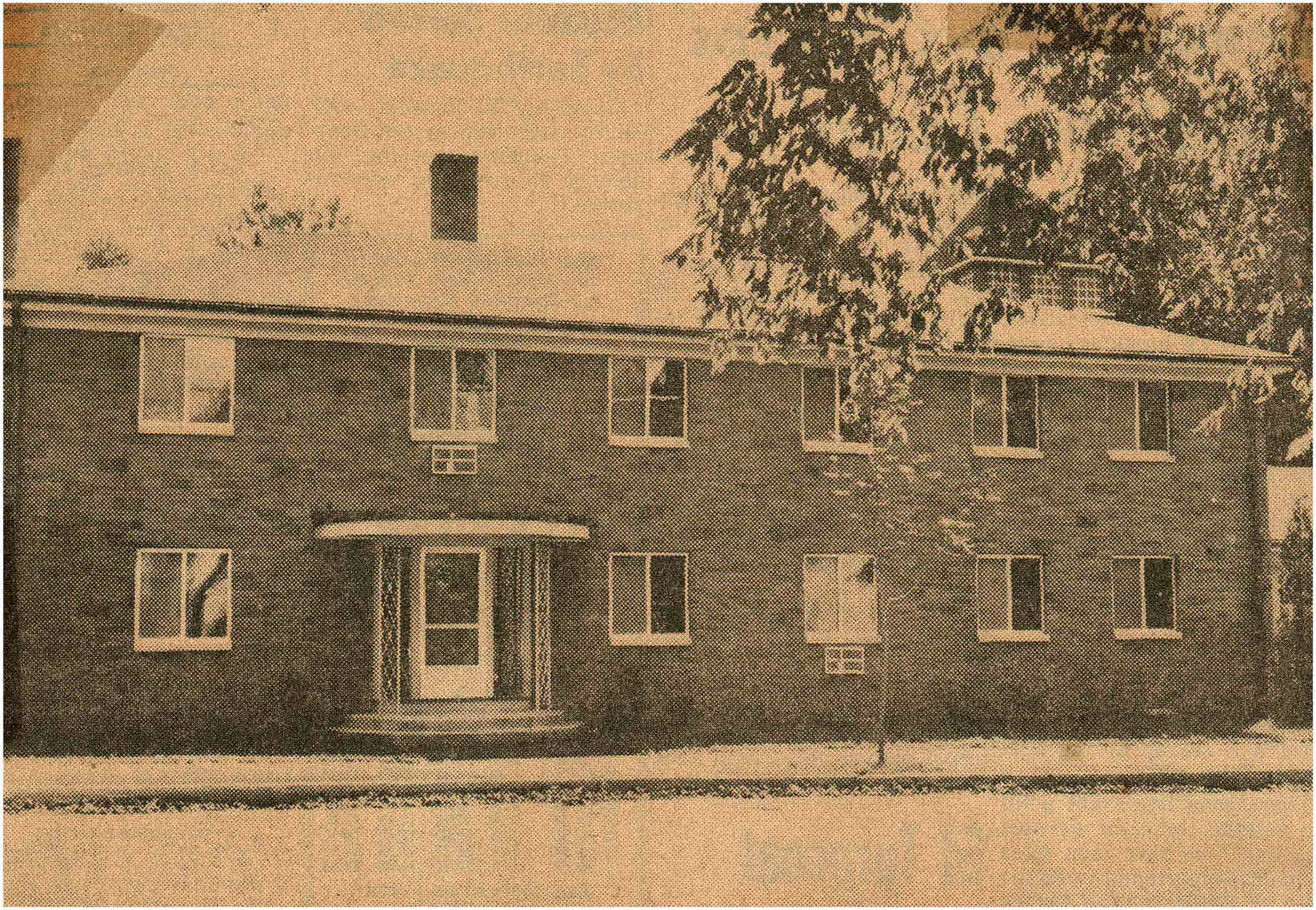

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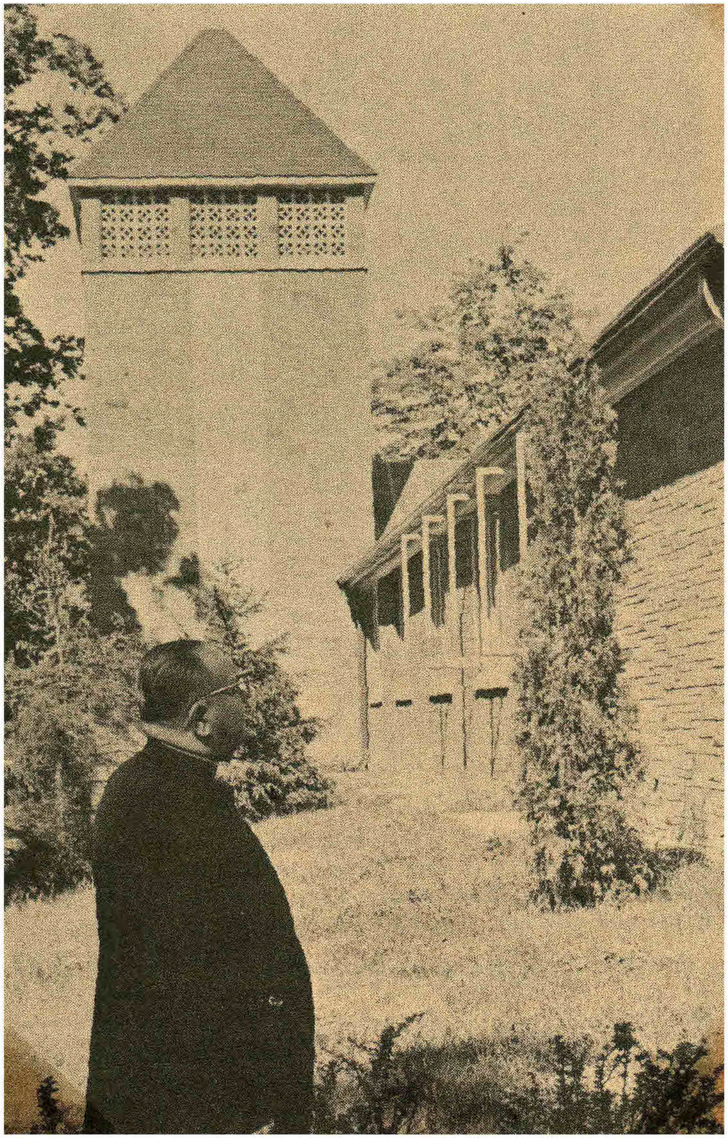

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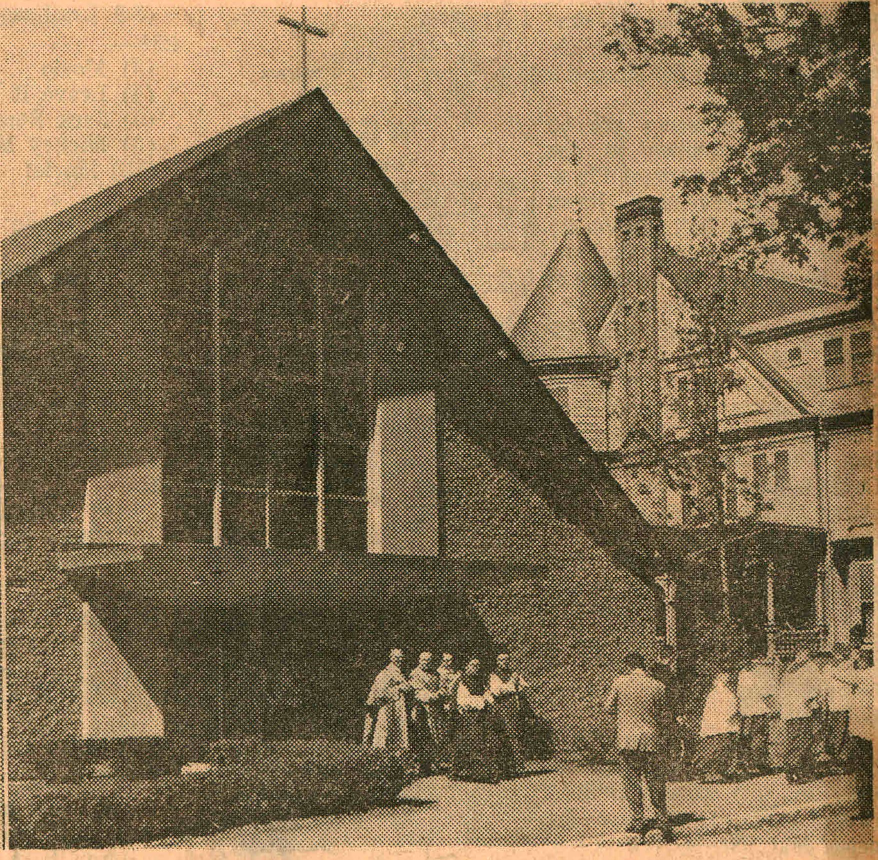

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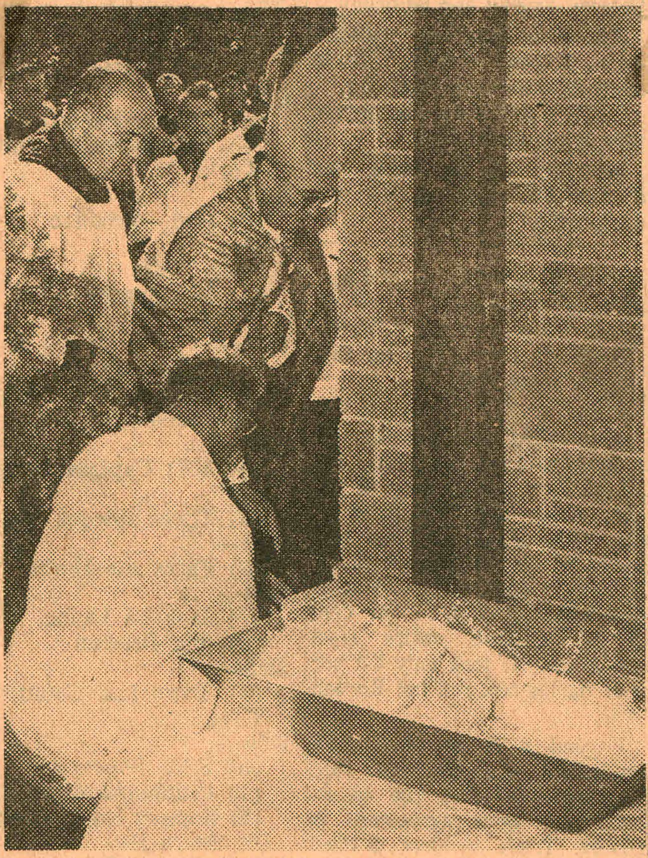

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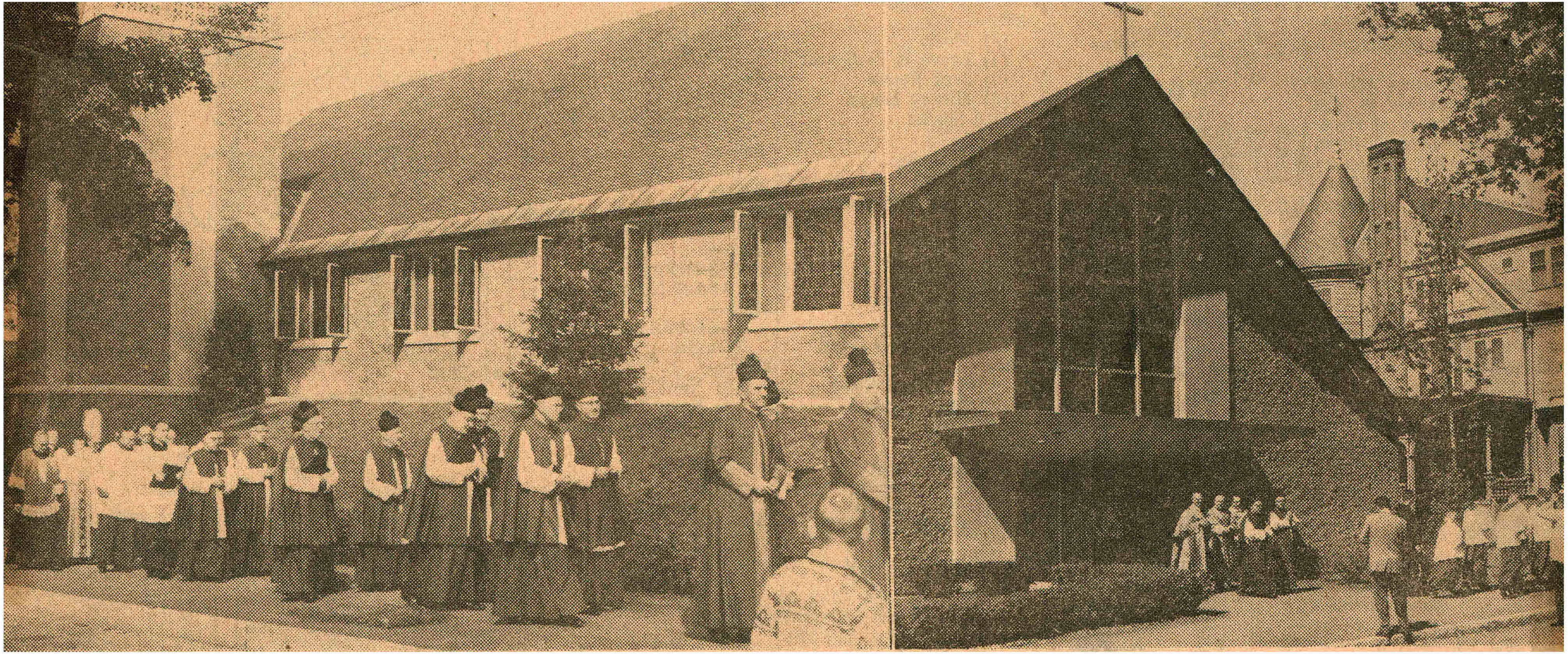

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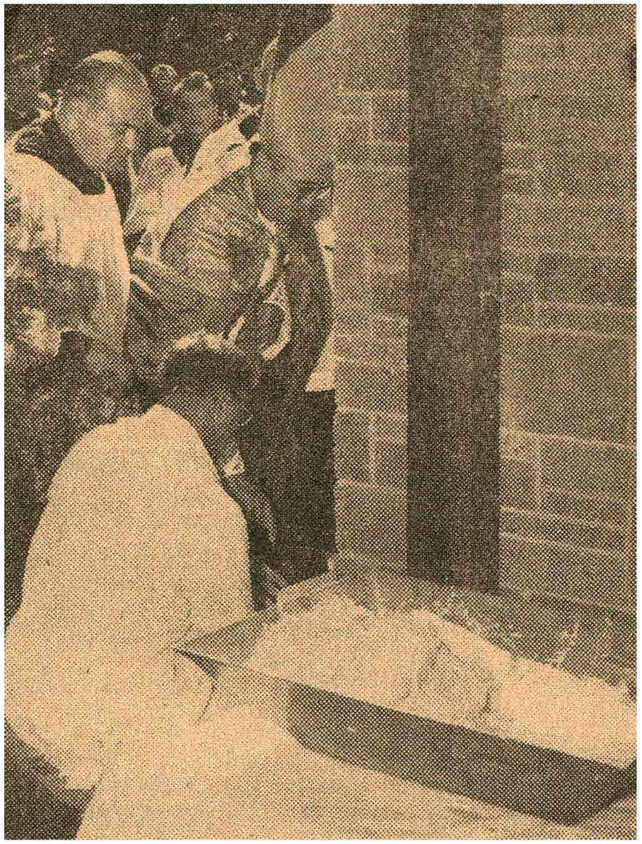

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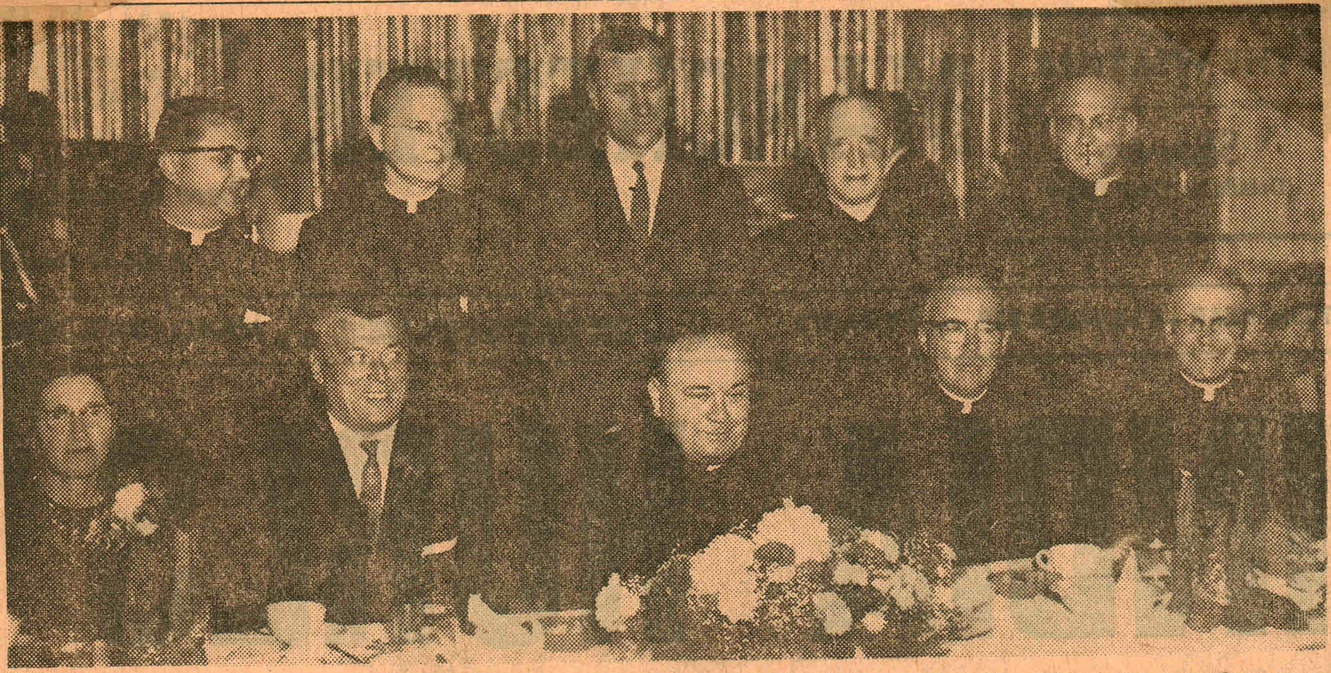

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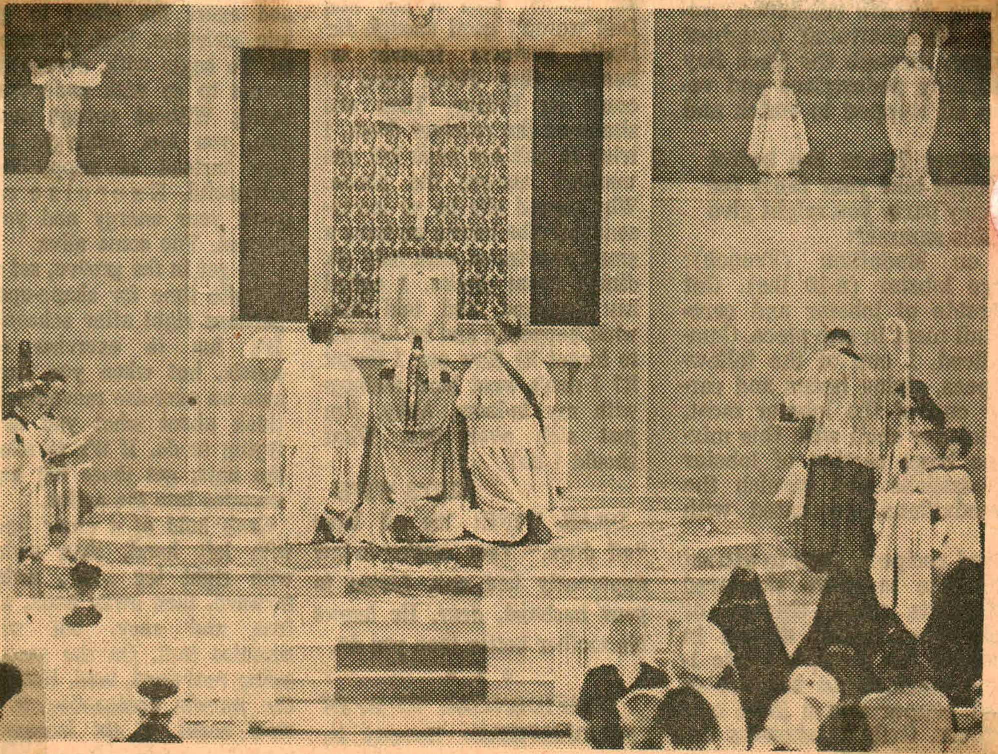

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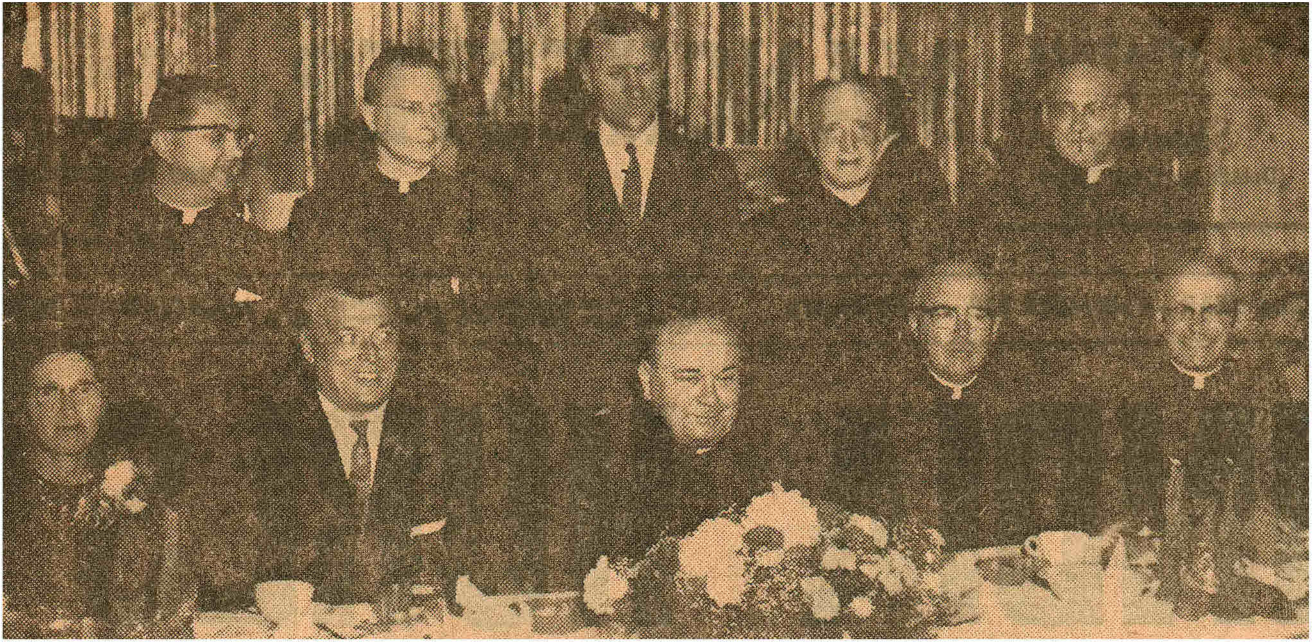

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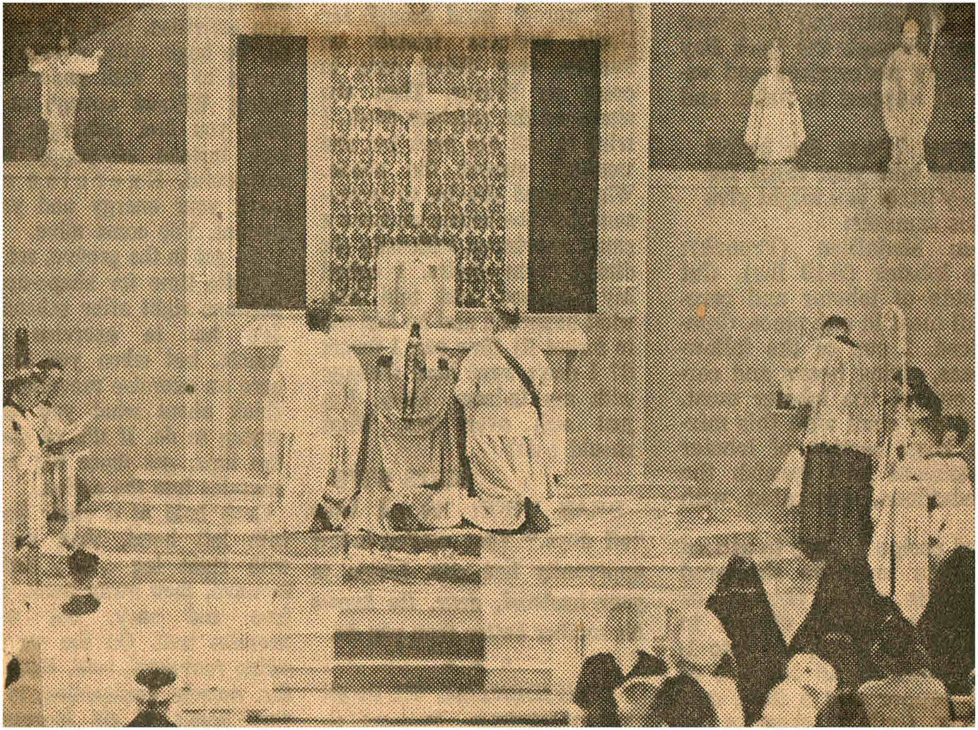

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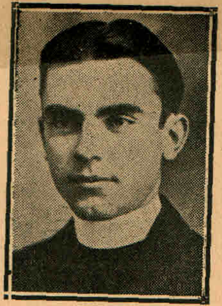

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